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TOWN OFFICERS 1937-1938

Selectmen

JAMES E. BURKE RALPH A. TUTTLE
DAVID J. BARRY

Moderator

DAVID J. BARRY

Town Clerk

EDWIN A. FRENCH

Town Treasurer

LESLIE N. CENTER

Auditors

JOHN T. HURLEY PAUL V. HERLIHY

Water Commissioners

LESLIE N. CENTER OMER J. SHEA
PETER J. DUGAN

Board of Health

JOHN E. POWERS, M. D., Health Officer
SELECTMEN

Trustees of Trust Funds

WILLIAM L. STANTON DAVID WHITING
WARREN E. FOSTER

Supervisors of Checklist

WILLIAM L. STANTON JOHN T. HURLEY
ARTHUR H. GAGE

Overseer of Poor

CHARLES E. PUTNAM

Fire Engineers

WILLIAM E. HICKEY GEORGE G. DRAPER
HAROLD HARWOOD

Forest Fire Warden
GEORGE G. DRAPER

Highway Agent
FRED LENZ

Chief of Police
EDGAR J. RECORD

Janitor Town Hall
CHARLES W. JOWDERS

Cemetery Trustees
JAMES E. BURKE RALPH A. TUTTLE
DAVID J. BARRY

Town Nurse
MRS. EDNA J. GILBERT

Nursing Committee
ROY D. THOMPSON LESLIE N. CENTER
DAVID J. BALCOM DANIEL R. BATCHELDER
DAVID J. BARRY

Park and Playground Commission
JAMES E. DRAPER HAROLD D. CHEEVER
DANIEL R. BATCHELDER

Trustees of Gregg Free Library
DAVID WHITING C. ELIZABETH RICE
GEO. G. BLANCHARD HAROLD D. CHEEVER
JAMES E. BURKE

Town Forest Committee
HAROLD D. CHEEVER JAMES E. BURKE
PHILIP C. HEALD

Caretaker of Cemeteries
C. H. STANARD (Deceased)

Historical Committee

JENNIE F. BARNES DANIEL R. BATCHELDER
 JAMES E. BURKE HARVEY W. FRYE
 ALAN SWEEZY

Budget Committee

EDWARD J. ABBOTT, Chairman

JAMES E. BURKE		Selectman	Member
DANIEL R. BATCHELDER		School Board	Member
ALFRED L. CURTIS	Term expires	Mar.	1938
PHILIP C. HEALD	"	"	1938
WILLIAM L. STANTON	"	"	1938
EDWARD KILLKELLEY	"	"	1939
DAVID WHITING	"	"	1939
WILLIAM CLEAVES	"	"	1939
JAMES D. ABBOTT	"	"	1940
WILLIAM E. HICKEY	"	"	1940
EDWARD J. ABBOTT	"	"	1940

Planning Board

JAMES E. BURKE	Term expires	Mar.	1938
PHILIP C. HEALD	"	"	1939
JAMES D. ABBOTT	"	"	1940
HAROLD D. CHEEVER	"	"	1941
WHITNEY M. FRYE	"	"	1942

Warrant for Annual Meeting

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Wilton in the County of Hillsborough and State of New Hampshire, qualified to vote in town affairs:

You are hereby notified to appear at the Town Hall in said Wilton, on Tuesday, the 8th day of March next at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects.

1. To choose all necessary town officers.
2. To hear the reports of town officers, agents and committees and pass any vote relating thereto.
3. To see if the town will grant the free use of the town hall for the following purposes: Roy Bent Post No. 10, American Legion, and the Wilton Fire Department for their annual party, and the Roy Bent Post No. 10, American Legion, for Memorial Day exercises.
4. To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.
5. To see what action the town will take in regard to real estate taken over by the town for non-payment of taxes.
6. To see if the town will vote to adopt the ordinances as printed in the town report and recommended by the planning board.
7. To see if the town will vote to adopt the budget as prepared by the budget committee or make any alterations relating thereto.
8. To see what action the town will take relative to appointing a committee to make plans for the 200th anniversary in 1939.

9. To see what action the town will take relative to the appointment of committee for the preparation of the Town History.

10. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$180.00 to The Monadnock Region Association of Scenic New Hampshire for the issuance and distribution of printed matter, newspaper and magazine advertising, calling attention to the resources and natural advantages of the town, in cooperation with the other thirty-seven towns in the Monadnock Region.

11. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to defray town charges for the ensuing year, including town officers' salaries and expenses, election and registration, town hall, police department, fire department, health department, vital statistics, sewer maintenance, town road aid, town maintenance, street lighting, municipal court, town poor, old age assistance, aid to soldiers and their families, Memorial Day, cemeteries, interest, bridge construction, W. P. A. project, bonds, long term notes, state and county taxes, Monadnock Region Association, and miscellaneous items.

12. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hand and seal this 21st day of February, 1938.

J. E. BURKE,
R. A. TUTTLE,
D. J. BARRY,
Selectmen of Wilton, N. H.

BUDGET

**Estimate of Revenue and Expenditures for the En-
suing Year, Feb. 1, 1938 to Jan. 31, 1939, Com-
pared with Actual Revenue and Expenditures
of the Previous Year, Feb. 1, 1937 to
Jan. 31, 1938**

	Actual 1937	Estimated 1938
From State:		
Interest and dividends tax	\$5274 28	\$5274 28
Insurance tax	9 93	9 93
Railroad tax	611 06	611 06
Savings Bank tax	603 53	603 53
Bounties	26 60	16 40
For fighting forest fires	10 77	
Flood damage	157 73	
Rental of equipment	339 23	
Refund on account of welfare	753 88	
From Local Sources Except Taxes:		
Business licenses and permits	73 75	73 75
Rent of town hall and other buildings	912 25	900 00
Interest received on taxes and deposits	515 74	500 00
Income of departments:	78 95	
(a) Highway, including rental of equipment	606 00	
(b) Health department	400 61	400 00
Cemetery lots sold and annual care	59 50	60 00
Trust funds	216 50	216 50
Income from municipally owned utilities:		
(a) Water departments	5592 78	6011 04
Motor vehicle permit fees	2957 85	2000 00

**From Local Taxes Other
Than Property Taxes:**

	66114 72	
(a) Poll taxes	1306 00	2000 00
(b) National Bank stock taxes	268 70	268 50
Dog licenses	362 64	
Tax sales redeemed	1119 26	
Refunds	614 05	
Sale of property acquired by tax deed	559 65	
Frances J. Moors	3502 16	

**Amount Raised by Issue
of Bonds or Notes:**

Temporary loans	15000 00	15000 00
Cash on hand (surplus) Jan. 31, 1937	2135 68	

Total Revenues from all sources except property taxes	\$110,183 80	\$33,944 99
Amount to be raised by property taxes		66,400 84
Total Revenues	\$110,183 80	\$100,345 83

Purposes of Expenditures	Actual 1937	Estimated 1938
Current Maintenance Expenses:		
General Government:		
Town officers' salaries	\$1725 37	\$1620 00
Town officers' expenses	1180 25	1080 00
Election and registration exp.	48 50	190 00
Municipal court expenses		100 00
Expenses town hall and other town buildings	2104 82	2500 00

Protection of Persons
and Property:

Police department	2027 36	1800 00
Fire department	2566 66	2100 00
Bounties	16 40	
Taxes bought by town	778 55	
Health department, in- cluding hospitals	1013 67	1000 00
Vital statistics	35 65	40 00
Sewer maintenance	611 11	400 00

Highways and Bridges:

Town maintenance	10316 19	6000 00
Street lighting	1899 96	1800 00
General exp. of highway dept.	107 50	
Town road aid	549 50	549 50
Damage	235 00	

Libraries:

Libraries	100 00	
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Public Welfare:

Town poor	3531 27	3400 00
Old age assistance	1766 48	1200 00

Patriotic Purposes:

Memorial Day and other celebrations	175 00	150 00
Aid to soldiers and their families	1411 74	1400 00

Monadnock Region Assoc.

Parks and playgrounds, including band concerts	10 00	
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Public Service Enterprises:

Municipally owned water and electric utilities	3293 54	3293 54
Cemeteries	1396 36	1300 00

Interest:

On temporary loans	784 29	784 29
On bonded debt	807 50	717 50
On long term notes	861 75	717 50

**Outlay for New Construction
and Permanent Improvements:**

Highways and Bridges:

Livermore bridge	3502 16	
Sheldrick bridge		1000 00
W. P. A. project		1423 50
Sidewalk construction	651 15	

Indebtedness:

Payment on principal of debt:

(a) Bonds	2000 00	2000 00
(b) Long term notes	3500 00	2500 00
(c) Temporary loans	15000 00	15000 00

**Payments to Other Govern-
mental Divisions:**

State taxes	5040 00	3780 00
County taxes	9392 25	14000 00
Payments to school districts	28870 66	28500 00
Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1938	2873 16	

Total Expenditures	\$110,183 80	\$100,345 83
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INVENTORY OF TAXABLE PROPERTY

Land and buildings	\$1,530,615 00
Electric plants	32,585 00
Horses, 51	3,400 00
Oxen, 2	200 00
Cows, 316	18,495 00
Neat stock, 35	2,500 00
Sheep, 14	70 00
Fowls, 960	715 00
Portable mills, 4	1,200 00
Wood and lumber	900 00
Gasoline pumps and tanks, 29	1,875 00
Stock in trade	161,667 00
Mills and machinery	88,600 00
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Total valuation exclusive of exemptions	\$1,842,822 00
Exempt to soldiers	\$27,250 00
Exempt to blind	1,700 00
Total exemptions	\$28,950 00
Total assessed valuation 1937	\$1,813,872 00
Total assessed valuation 1936	\$1,819,940 00
Decrease 1937	6,068 00
Tax rate, \$3.90 per \$100.00	
Property tax committed	\$71,870 06
Poll taxes, 1023 at \$2.00	2,046 00
National Bank stock	268 70
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	\$74,184 76
Additional	82 00
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Total committed to collector	\$74,266 76

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, land and buildings	\$50,000 00
Furniture and equipment	1,000 00
Libraries, land and buildings	50,000 00
Equipment	6,000 00
Fire Department, land and buildings	2,000 00
Equipment	7,000 00
Highway Department, land and buildings	1,000 00
Equipment	5,000 00
Memorial lot, park and playground	4,000 00
Water works	100,000 00
Schools, land and buildings	75,000 00
Town forest	100 00
Property acquired by tax collector's deeds	2,430 00
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Total	\$303,530 00

BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS

Cash in hands of treasurer	\$2873 16
Bills due, Health dept.	173 25
Bills due, Highway dept.	60 01
Due from Water dept.	485 36
Due from State, welfare	
Nov. and Dec.	235 02
Unredeemed taxes	548 08
Real estate acquired	
by tax deeds	314 36
Uncollected taxes:	
Levy 1937	19,792 97
Levy 1936	132 55
Previous years	209 81
Total Assets	————— \$24,824 57

LIABILITIES

Due school district:	
Dog licenses	\$ 337 64
Balance appropriation	7,349 70
Park and playground	
commission	490 00
Outstanding temporary loans	10,000 00
Refunded temp. loans 1936	8,000 00
Reservoir notes	3,500 00
Water bonds	18,000 00
State highway	2,000 00
Park and playground	2,500 00
Bridge notes	1,500 00
Total liabilities	————— \$53,677 34
Excess of Liabilities over Assets	
Net Debt	\$28,852 77
Net debt Jan. 31, 1937	\$39,610 33
Net debt Jan. 31, 1938	28,852 77
Decrease of Debt	————— \$10,757 56

Surplus Assets Jan. 31, 1938	\$6,647 23
Less surplus Assets Jan. 31, 1937	1,389 67
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	\$5,257 56
Indebtedness paid Jan. 31, 1938	5,500 00
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	\$10,757 56

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

Property taxes, current year	\$52,668 59
Poll taxes, current year	1,306 00
National Bank stock taxes	268 70
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	\$54,243 29
Property and poll taxes previous years	13,446 13
Tax sales redeemed	1,119 26
From state:	
Flood damage	157 73
Rental of equipment	339 23
Town poor, soldiers' aid, old age	753 88
Interest and dividend tax	5,274 28
Insurance tax	9 93
Railroad tax	611 06
Savings bank tax	603 53
Forest fires	10 77
Bounties	26 60
Dog licenses	362 64
Business licenses and permits	73 75
Highway department	606 00
Rent of town hall	912 25
Interest from taxes	515 74
Cemetery, sale of lots and annual care	59 50
Income from trust funds	216 50
Health department	400 61
Fire department	70 00
Selectmen	8 95
Water department	5,592 78

Motor vehicle permits	2,957	85
Temporary loans	15,000	00
Refunds	49	80
Sale of property acquired by tax deeds	559	65
Frances J. Moors	3,502	16
County treasurer, refund old age	388	00
Wilton National Bank, refund interest	176	25
Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1937	2,135	68
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	\$110,183	80

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

1. Town officers' supplies	\$1,725	37
2. Town officers' expenses	1,180	25
3. Election and registration	48	50
5. Town hall	2,104	82
6. Police department	2,027	36
7. Fire department	2,566	66
9. Bounties	16	40
11. Health department	1,013	67
12. Vital statistics	35	65
13. Sewer maintenance	611	11
15. Town road aid	549	50
16. Town maintenance	10,316	19
17. Street lighting	1,899	96
18. General expense highway	107	50
19. Libraries	100	00
20. Old age assistance	1,766	48
21. Town poor	3,531	27
23. Memorial day	175	00
24. Aid to soldiers and their families	1,411	74
25. Parks	10	00
26. Water works	3,293	54
28. Cemeteries	1,396	36
29. Damages	235	00
30. Taxes bought by town	778	55

32. Interest on temporary loans	784 29
33. Interest on long term notes	861 75
34. Interest on water bonds	807 50
38. Bridge construction	3,502 16
41. Sidewalk construction	651 15
45. Temporary loans	15,000 00
46. Long term notes	3,500 00
47. Water bonds	2,000 00
51. State tax	5,040 00
52. County tax	9,392 25
54. School district	28,870 66
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Total Payments	\$107,310 64
Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1938	2,873 16
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Grand Total	\$110,183 80

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

Detail 1. Town Officers' Salaries:

Appropriation \$1800.00; Expended \$1725.37	
James E. Burke, selectman	\$400 00
Ralph A. Tuttle, selectman	300 00
David J. Barry, selectman	300 00
Leslie N. Center, town treasurer	150 00
Edwin A. French, town clerk	100 00
Chas. E. Putnam, overseer of poor	100 00
John T. Hurley, auditor	25 00
Paul V. Herlihy, auditor	25 00
Thomas D. Hurley, tax collector	325 37
	\$1725 37

Detail 2. Town Officers' Expenses:

Appropriation \$950.00; Expended \$1180.25	
Wilton Tel. Co., telephone	\$61 40
J. R. KillKelley, postage	41 24
Cabinet Press, printing reports	270 90
Cabinet Press, notices	2 77
Harry P. Ring, printing	7 75
Edmund Little Co., envelopes	10 42
Est. James P. Melzer, printing	29 51
Ralph A. Tuttle, auto mileage	18 00
A. W. Rowell, assessors' dues	2 00
H. D. Cheever, officers' bonds and insurance	125 00
L. N. Center, postage	5 00
D. R. Batchelder, mileage and supplies	7 20
County Stores, lamp	3 50
H. D. Cheever, recording fees and postage	9 68
J. E. Burke, mileage & expenses	23 35

Cole Printing Co., supplies	9 54	
Edson C. Eastman, supplies	26 68	
E. A. French, issuing auto permits	150 00	
Hillsboro County Register of Deeds, deed and mortgage conveyances	20 31	
A. C. Arnold, desk set	3 00	
Neal W. Cobleigh, search of tax sales	51 50	
Luella Ham, clerical work	15 00	
O. H. Frye, appraising lumber	5 00	
David J. Barry, exp. to Concord and Manchester	7 00	
Edward Varley, labor	1 50	
Charles Brown, labor	3 00	
H. D. Cheever, legal service and other work	25 00	
Minda Putnam, clerical	245 00	
	<hr/>	\$1180 25

Detail 3. Election and Registration:

Appropriation \$75.00; Expended \$48.50		
David J. Barry, moderator	\$15 00	
John T. Hurley, supervisor 1937	15 00	
Edward H. Burke, ballot clerk	3 00	
Charles W. Jowders, ballot clerk	3 00	
Bertha S. Batchelder, ballot clerk	3 00	
Edward Varley, ballot clerk	3 00	
Nellie Perham, ballot clerk	3 00	
Congregational Church, dinners	3 50	
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Detail 4. Municipal Court:

Appropriation \$75.00; Expended none

Detail 5. Town Hall:

Appropriation \$2300.00; Expended \$2104.82

Charles W. Jowders, janitor	\$808 00
Charles W. Jowders, cash paid	91
F. W. Clark, supplies	6 05
Ernest Broderick, repairs	10 80
Joseph Devine, labor	4 73
Leroy Robbins, painting flag pole	25 00
Fred E. Tuttle, labor and hardware	17 72
J. E. Burke, cash paid freight	1 56
Goodco Sanitary Prod., supplies	17 75
W. E. Hickey, labor	18 25
Fred Burns, labor	9 00
Edward Varley, labor	9 00
E. A. French, supplies	61 77
Roger A. Carey, labor and material	12 05
J. W. Flanagan, repairs to ceiling	13 65
John Nadeau, cleaning chimneys	11 00
O. H. Frye, slab wood	21 25
Duro Test Corp., bulbs	31 37
Frank Dunn, supplies	80 14
Public Service Co., lights	296 80
A. H. Young, supplies	6 20
W. S. Keith, cleaner	1 50
D. Whiting & Sons, Inc., coal, lumber, cement	356 22
H. D. Cheever, insurance	125 00
L. M. Langdell, insurance	48 00
Edward LaCasse, wood	9 00
The Holmerdon Co., supplies	50 90
W. W. Adrian, labor and bulbs	7 70
James Broderick, labor	40 30
United Sweeping Compound Corp., 2 mops	3 20

 \$2104 82

Detail 6. Police Department:

Appropriation \$2000.00; Expended \$2027.36

Edgar J. Record, chief of police	\$1664 00	
Edgar J. Record, mileage, postage and cash paid	59 44	
W. W. Adrian, installing police light	26 52	
Frank Dunn, supplies	2 10	
J. B. Ingham, signs	5 00	
J. W. Buckley, desk	10 00	
Signal Service Corp., blinker parts	54	
H. P. Ring, letterheads	1 65	
P. F. Sullivan, labor and material	7 69	
Remington Rand, text book	3 25	
Est. of James P. Melzer, printing	2 10	
Edward Varley, painting streets	4 06	
Joseph Devine, painting streets	4 06	
Quigley's Garage, labor on blinker	3 75	
John Thompson, labor on desk	5 00	
R. A. Tuttle, supplies	40	
C. A. Jowders, special officer	49 45	
Thomas McGrath, special officer	29 50	
Lawrence Tighe, special officer	3 00	
F. W. Clark, supplies	60	
People's Laundry, cleaning blankets	1 00	
W. E. Bernard, rent of lobby	100 00	
Public Service Co., lights	12 00	
Wilton Motor Co., auto hire	3 00	
George S. Proctor, special officer	25 00	
E. H. Frye, special officer	4 25	
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Detail 7. Fire Department:

Appropriation \$2500.00; Expended \$2566.66

W. E. Hickey, salary chief	\$60 00
Geo. G. Draper, sal. fireward '36	35 00

Geo. G. Draper, sal. fireward '37	35	00
Harold J. Harwood, salary fireward 1936	24	19
Harold J. Harwood, salary fireward 1937	35	00
E. H. Frye, steward	100	00
Ralph Tuttle, payroll Hose Co. No. 1	255	00
Ai Hutchinson, payroll Hose Co. No. 2	255	00
Carl Frye, payroll Hose Co. No. 3	255	00
George F. Berry, varnish	4	00
George G. Draper, still alarms	18	50
George G. Draper, payroll forest fires	21	53
Justin A. McCarthy, supplies	93	26
W. E. Hickey, still alarms	5	50
Maynard Machine Shop, truck repairs	21	58
Northern Pump Co., 1 rear drive shaft	29	49
E. H. Frye, still alarms	3	00
T. Sherlocke, still alarms	1	50
Omer J. Berube, still alarms	4	00
Carl Quigley, still alarms	6	50
A. T. Willette, still alarms	2	00
Bart Pelletier, still alarms	2	00
Leo W. Soucy, fuel oil	44	65
Edward LaCasse, fuel oil	34	59
Wilton Auto Station, battery, gas and oil	30	39
Wilton Telephone Co., telephone	28	45
Stephen R. Boutwell, water tank and repairs	19	90
Milford Machine Works, machine work	8	00
P. W. Robertson, express	80	

Wilton Motor Co., gas, oil, parts, repairs	285 50
George G. Draper, cash paid for lunches	2 40
Ernest T. Broderick, labor and material on truck	119 30
Public Service Co., lights	25 00
Crosby Steam Gage and Valve Co., whistle valve	18 30
H. D. Cheever, insurance	50 00
Joseph Gatto, meals during flood	4 60
Nashua Buick Co., brake part	1 35
Abbott Machine Co., steel	3 30
R. S. Nichols, express	1 62
D. Whiting & Sons, oil, cement, lumber, etc.	83 38
Nashua Steam Press, truck body and welding	201 05
James Broderick, painting truck	27 95
Campbell Motor Parts, flanges, washers	29 48
George D. Palmerton, ladder locks and irons	11 75
W. E. Foster, stove pipe	1 45
Frank Dunn, supplies	42 05
P. F. Sullivan, labor on truck	8 50
Edward Varley, labor on truck	8 55
W. E. Hickey, labor on whistle and chemicals	10 75
E. H. Frye, auto hire	14 00
E. H. Frye, labor flushing hydrants, etc.	7 00
W. E. Hickey, labor and material on roof and flag pole	33 95
Edward Varley, labor hydrants, flag pole, painting	15 40
Carrie Girard, storage	12 00
Arno E. Gatz, suction hose	68 00

W. E. Hickey, shoveling snow	11 93	
James Broderick, shoveling snow	1 35	
H. G. Colony, shoveling snow	3 60	
M. J. Shea, shoveling snow	7 20	
F. W. Clark, supplies	6 92	
W. E. Hickey, labor hydrants, engine house	15 20	
	<hr/>	\$2566 66

Detail 9. Bounties:

George W. Marden, hedgehogs	\$1 20	
William Bonney, hedgehogs	1 20	
James Sheldon, hedgehogs	5 80	
J. E. Burke, hedgehogs	3 40	
Ralph A. Tuttle, hedgehogs	40	
Philip C. Heald, hedgehogs	2 80	
Ruth E. Batchelder, hedgehogs	1 60	
	<hr/>	\$16 40

Detail 11. Health Department:

Appropriation \$1200.00; Expended \$1013.67

Edna J. Gilbert, salary nurse	\$733 26	
Wilton Motor Co., storage, gas, oil, repairs	103 78	
H. D. Cheever, insurance	27 50	
Edna J. Gilbert, use of car	61 32	
J. E. Powers, M. D., health officer	75 00	
J. E. Powers, M. D., cash paid	12 81	
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Detail 12. Vital Statistics:

Appropriation \$40.00; Expended \$35.65

Wilfred Bosclair	\$ 90	
E. A. French	31 25	
J. E. Powers, M. D.	3 50	
	<hr/>	\$35 65

Detail 13. Sewer Maintenance:

Appropriation \$900.00

Paid on order of commissioners	\$611 11
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Detail 15. Town Road Aid:

Bal. in state fund 1936	\$ 12 68
State appropriation	2198 22
Town appropriation	549 50

\$2760 40

Payments:

Fred Lenz, labor	\$182 35
Francis Thompson, labor	102 38
Charles Stewart, labor	59 63
A. Simineau, labor	85 28
Edward Varley, labor	87 53
Paul Doherty, labor	37 13
Henry Lapointe, labor	27 68
John Lammi, labor	37 13
James Burden, labor	33 30
Charles Jowders, labor	77 31
Charles Abbott, truck	6 00
E. Cummings, truck	10 40
John Thompson, truck	78 00
A. H. Todd, truck	213 50
Don Emery, truck	143 00
S. Boutwell, truck	96 10
George Hutchinson, truck	70 20
W. Nichols, truck	37 05
Joseph Le Mire, shovel	275 00
Town of Wilton, truck	20 80
Town of Wilton, tractor	16 90
A. T. Willette, roller man	36 58
D. Whiting & Sons, Inc., lumber	10 08
Town of Milford, rake	2 00
Quigley's Garage, gasoline	5 16
Frank Dunn, supplies	7 21
P. F. Sullivan, sharpen tools	15 67
James Hoag, gravel	26 40

A. H. Young, sand	6 70	
D. M. Potter, posts	4 65	
Wilton Feed & Supply, cement	18 60	
W. Wheeler, rolling shoulders	3 90	
Wilton Auto Station, gasoline	49 11	
State Highway Garage	140 98	
Trimount Oil Co.	736 75	
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		\$2760 46
Due state from town \$.06		

Detail 16. Town Maintenance:

Appropriation \$9500.00; Expended \$10,316.19

Cash Receipts:

State, rental of equipment	\$339 23
From local sources	606 00
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	\$10,445 23

Payments:

Fred Lenz, highway agent	\$1208 90
Chas. W. Jowders, truck driver	1169 34
A. Simineau, labor	821 96
Joseph Davis, labor	25 27
Charles Stuart, labor	31 95
Edward Varley, labor	175 11
Edward Burke, labor	80
John Thompson, labor	1 80
William Wheeler, labor	3 90
John Lamini, labor	5 60
Paul Benson, labor	150 75
Archie Thompson, labor	194 71
Fred Burns, labor	13 62
Donald McCormack, labor	5 40
John F. Burke, labor	9 00
Andy Holt, labor	1 35
Charles Fairfield, labor	9 00
John Carter, labor	7 05
David LaCasse, labor	40

Charles Sheldon, labor	13	40
Leonard Heffer, labor	91	68
Robert Keilig, labor	83	60
Forest Whitcomb, labor	9	60
James Burden, labor	21	15
Francis Thompson, labor	120	14
Paul Doherty, labor	11	70
Adelard Nadeau, labor	3	60
William Wright, Jr., labor	7	65
David Balcom, labor	23	85
A. T. Willette, labor	11	88
John F. Burke, trucking	299	50
Stephen Boutwell, trucking	24	70
Andy Holt, plowing sidewalks	31	00
Philip C. Heald, plowing roads	59	30
Leonard Heffer, snow fence posts	2	00
E. B. Frye and Sons, motor	26	50
Motor Service and Supply Co., lights for truck	8	41
George W. Perham, team	13	00
E. C. & W. L. Hopkins, salt	62	00
Nashua Steam Press and Boiler Works, casting and welding	25	00
Charles N. Stearns, plowing sidewalks	18	00
Mrs. Oliver Holt, rent of shop	220	00
William Riney, labor	1	00
Quigley's Garage, gas, oil, repairs	291	57
A. C. Young, sand and gravel	104	33
Hodge & Mathers, 50 ft. steam hose	41	00
Frank Dunn, supplies	178	42
Stephen R. Boutwell, sand	2	00
A. L. Curtis, bridge plank	109	42
John Thompson, truck	81	90
David Whiting & Sons, Inc., coal, lumber, etc.	124	31

Wilton Auto Station, gas, oil	343	54
Biron Bros., air compressor	6	00
Wilton Feed & Supply, 2 shovels	2	70
Hume Pipe of N. E., concrete pipe	68	22
H. M. McGuire & Co., cold patch	104	00
P. F. Sullivan, repairs	146	76
Wilton Motor Co., gas, oil, repairs	834	21
H. D. Cheever, insurance	75	75
E. M. Purdy, sand	4	50
D. M. Potter, 100 posts	16	00
W. E. Foster, tractor repairs	1	30
George K. Egan, 4 tires	224	92
Francis H. Creed, gasoline	10	27
O. H. Frye, lumber	3	44
F. E. Proctor, labor	19	50
Public Service Co. of N. H., lights	9	52
Roger Carey, repairs to fence and tar kettle	43	80
Koppers Co., road oil	1584	44
Howard Peters, truck	9	75
A. L. Curtis, tractor	4	50
George K. Egan, gasoline	1	76
Charles M. Abbott, tar kettle	15	00
George F. Badger, sand	6	80
Albert Deschamps, cleaning street	181	80
Clover Hill Orchard, plowing roads	6	00
Lawrence Gibbons, truck	58	50
Fred Lenz, freight paid	3	00
N. E. Metal Culvert Co., culverts	60	75
E. T. Broderick, labor & material	11	53
Carl Nelson, 2 signs	10	00
Penn Metal Corp., culverts	31	91
Snap On Tools Inc., wrench	5	15
Eagle Oil & Supply Co., 2 drums oil	81	08
Whitney Frye, use of derrick	20	00

George Abbott, filing saws	1 50	
A. H. Todd, gravel	19 30	
George M. Batchelder, gravel	7 20	
R. C. Hazelton Co., snow fence		
and parts for plow	284 00	
Norman Brown, labor	3 15	
John R. Burke, labor	3 60	
Nelson Gilman, labor	6 75	
F. Thierault, labor	3 15	
Calvin Locke, labor	5 85	
Winslow & Cummings, sand and		
stone	7 22	
Towers Motors Parts Corp., tools	7 85	
C. A. Smith Garage Inc., nuts		
and bolts	2 80	
	<hr/>	\$10,316 19

Detail 17. Street Lighting:

Appropriation \$2000.00; Expended \$1899.96
 Paid Public Service Co. of N. H. \$1899 96

Detail 18. General Expense of Highway Dept.:

Appropriation \$150.00; Expended \$107.50
 David Whiting, repairs to drain \$100 00
 Boston and Maine R. R., warning
 disc signs 7 50

\$107 50

Detail 19. Libraries:

Appropriation \$100.00; Expended \$100.00
 Paid Wilton Public Library \$100 00

Details 20, 21, 23: Welfare:

Appropriation \$6000.00; Expended \$6709.49
 Paid:
 Old age assistance \$1766 48
 Aid to soldiers and their
 families 1411 74
 Town poor 3531 27

\$6709 49

Reimbursements:

State of New Hampshire	\$753 88	
County treasurer	388 00	
	<hr/>	1141 88
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		\$5567 61

Detail 24. Memorial Day:

Appropriation \$175.00; Expended \$175.00		
Paid Roy Bent Post, American Legion, No. 10		\$175 00
Reimbursement:		
Roy Bent Post, American Legion		11 75
	<hr/>	\$163 25

Detail 25. Parks:

Appropriation \$500.00; Expended \$10.00		
Paid Daniel D. Steele, spraying trees		\$10 00

Detail 26. Water Department:

Paid on orders of commissioners		\$3293 54
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Detail 28. Cemeteries:

Appropriation \$1400.00; Expended \$1396.36		
A. T. Willette, labor	\$422 65	
Albert Lashua, labor	107 40	
John Gibbons, labor	17 20	
Nelson Gilman, labor	61 10	
C. H. Stanard, labor	316 70	
Robert Andrews, labor	38 40	
David LaCasse, labor	7 20	
James Seymour, labor	5 63	
Francis Thompson, labor	41 42	
Archie Thompson, labor	101 84	
A. T. Willette, postage	1 75	
John Thompson, truck	32 30	
Public Service Co. of N. H., power	14 00	

J. B. Ingham, perpetual care markers	35 00	
Hillsborough Mills, ashes	4 78	
Jos. LaCasse, sharpening mowers	8 00	
Quigley's Garage, gasoline	1 87	
F. W. Clark, lawn mower	14 25	
E. B. Frye & Son, cloth for plans	4 80	
Mrs. John Thompson, loam	12 00	
D. Whiting & Sons, Inc., cement, lumber, pipe	6 44	
Clarence Weston, mowing	23 25	
Edward Melio, labor	12 15	
Leo Willette, labor	11 60	
David Balcom, labor	12 15	
Herman Glines, mowing	8 25	
Frank Dunn, supplies	35 82	
C. W. Stickney, manure	4 60	
David Jowders, labor	15 40	
Henry Colony, labor	6 30	
Edward Bourgeois, labor	4 76	
Ai Hutchinson, labor	6 30	
C. H. Stanard, postage	1 05	
	<hr/>	\$1396 36

Detail 29. Damages:

Paid Charles E. Frye	\$235 00
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Detail 30:

Taxes bought by town	\$778 75
Thomas D. Hurley	\$778 75

Detail 32:

Interest on temporary loans	\$784 29
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Detail 33:

Interest on long term notes	\$861 75
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Detail 34:

Interest on water bonds	\$807 50
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Detail 38. Bridge Construction:

Nehe Pajanen, labor and material	\$ 224 05	
Fred Tuttle, labor and material	3278 11	
	<hr/>	\$3502 16
Reimbursement:		
Mrs. Frances J. Moors		\$3502 16

Detail 41. Sidewalk Construction:

Appropriated \$500.00; Expended \$651.15

W. E. Hickey, labor and truck	\$101 65	
Fred Burns, labor	70 88	
Edward Varley, labor	85 28	
M. J. Shea, labor	58 73	
Joseph Gardner, labor	1 80	
John Gibbons, labor	21 15	
James Burden, labor	51 75	
Charles Fairfield, labor	34 20	
Hugo Schultz, labor	28 80	
Charles Stewart, labor	36 68	
Archie Thompson, labor	12 60	
Henry Colony, labor	9 00	
P. F. Sullivan, sharpening tools	1 40	
Lawrence Gibbons, truck	24 72	
E. N. Conrad, truck	6 65	
Abbott Worsted Mills, Inc., ashes	3 00	
D. Whiting & Sons, Inc., lumber,		
cement	75 21	
F. W. Clark, shovels, oil,		
lamp black	8 22	
Winslow & Cummings, sand and		
stone	12 93	
Frank Dunn, nails, twine	4 00	
Donald Emery, truck	2 50	
	<hr/>	\$651 15

	Detail 45:	
Temporary loans		\$15,000 00

	Detail 46:	
Long term notes		\$3500 00

	Detail 47:	
Water bonds		\$2000 00

	Detail 51:	
State tax		\$5040 00

	Detail 52:	
County tax		\$9392 25

	Detail 54:	
School District		\$26,870 66

Report of Town Treasurer

Receipts	
Balance on hand, Feb. 1, 1937	\$2,135 68
Taxes, J. E. Hurley	3,131 13
Taxes, T. D. Hurley, 1936	10,807 60
Taxes, T. D. Hurley, 1937	54,266 43
Highway department	947 23
Interest and dividends tax	5,274 28
Insurance tax	9 93
Railroad tax	611 06
Savings bank tax	603 53
Dog licenses	362 64
Business permits and licenses	73 25
Rebuilding Livermore bridge, Frances J. Moors	3,502 16
Cemetery department	59 50
Town hall	912 25
Water department	5,592 78
Fire department	75 45
Health department	400 61
Auto taxes	2,957 85
Temporary loans	15,000 00
Trust funds, cemetery	216 50
Sale of real estate acquired for taxes	559 65
Bounties, State	26 60
Refund, relief, State	753 88
Refund, highway department	20 10
Refund, cemetery	1 80
Refund, relief	3 25
Refund, flood, State	157 73
Refund, interest	176 25
Refund, school department	10
Refund, fire department	5 32
Refund, old age, County	388 00
Refund, miscellaneous	32 00
Tax sales redeemed	1,119 26
	\$110,183 80

Payments as per Selectmen's
orders

\$107,310 64

Bal. in bank Feb. 1, 1938

2,873 16

—————\$110,183 80

LESLIE N. CENTER,
Town Treasurer.

SCHEDULE OF TOWN OF WILTON NOTES AND BONDS OUTSTANDING

January 31, 1938

Temporary Notes

Temporary notes, $4\frac{1}{4}\%$ interest paid
to Jan. 31, 1938 \$10,000 00

Notes for Bridge Construction, Isaac Frye

Highway Bridge

Due Jan. 31, 1939, rate $4\frac{1}{2}\%$, amount	\$500 00
Due Jan. 31, 1940, rate $4\frac{1}{2}\%$, amount	500 00
Due Jan. 31, 1941, rate $4\frac{1}{2}\%$, amount	500 00
	<hr/> \$1500 00

Serial Notes for Reservoir Construction

Due Jan. 1, 1943, rate 5%, amount	\$500 00
Due Jan. 1, 1943, rate 5%, amount	500 00
Due Jan. 1, 1944, rate 5%, amount	500 00
Due Jan. 1, 1944, rate 5%, amount	500 00
Due Jan. 1, 1945, rate 5%, amount	500 00
Due Jan. 1, 1945, rate 5%, amount	500 00
Due Jan. 1, 1946, rate 5%, amount	500 00
	<hr/> \$3500 00

Serial Notes for Parks and Playgrounds

Due Jan. 1, 1939, rate 4%, amount	\$500 00
Due Jan. 1, 1940, rate 4%, amount	500 00
Due Jan. 1, 1941, rate 4%, amount	500 00
Due Jan. 1, 1942, rate 4%, amount	1000 00
	<hr/> \$2500 00

Serial Notes for Roads

Due Jan. 30, 1939, rate $3\frac{3}{4}\%$, amount	\$500 00
Due Jan. 30, 1940, rate $3\frac{3}{4}\%$, amount	500 00

Due Jan. 30, 1941, rate $3\frac{3}{4}\%$, amount	500 00
Due Jan. 30, 1942, rate $3\frac{3}{4}\%$, amount	500 00
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	\$2000 00

Serial Notes, Refunding Temporary Loans
Due Jan. 1, 1931-36

Due Jan. 1, 1939, rate $3\frac{3}{4}\%$, amount	\$1000 00
Due Jan. 1, 1940, rate $3\frac{3}{4}\%$, amount	1000 00
Due Jan. 1, 1941, rate $3\frac{3}{4}\%$, amount	1000 00
Due Jan. 1, 1942, rate $3\frac{3}{4}\%$, amount	1000 00
Due Jan. 1, 1943, rate $3\frac{3}{4}\%$, amount	1000 00
Due Jan. 1, 1944, rate $3\frac{3}{4}\%$, amount	1000 00
Due Jan. 1, 1945, rate $3\frac{3}{4}\%$, amount	1000 00
Due Jan. 1, 1946, rate $3\frac{3}{4}\%$, amount	1000 00
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	\$8000 00

Water Bonds—Reservoir Construction
\$2000.00 due each year July 1, rate $4\frac{1}{4}\%$,
amount \$18,000 00

LESLIE N. CENTER,
Town Treasurer.

Report of Town Clerk

DOG ACCOUNT

No. of male dogs licensed, 135	\$269 50
No. of female dogs licensed, 22	110 00
2 kennel licenses	24 00
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	\$403 50

Commission	\$33 40
Paid for dog tags	7 46
Paid Leslie N. Center	362 64
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	\$403 50

EDWIN A. FRENCH,
Town Clerk.

Report of Tax Collector

TAX LEVY OF 1936

Dr.

Uncollected Jan. 31, 1937	\$10,686 83
Additional polls	4 00
Interest collected	485 29
Redeemed taxes	412 68
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	\$11,588 80

Cr.

Paid treasurer	\$11,220 28
Abatements	235 97
Uncollected Jan. 31, 1938	132 55
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	\$11,588 80

TAX LEVY OF 1937

Dr.

Property tax committed	\$71,870 06
1023 polls	2,046 00
41 additional polls	82 00
Bank stock	268 70
Interest collected	23 14
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	\$74,289 90

Cr.

Paid treasurer	\$54,266 43
Abatements	230 50
Uncollected Jan. 31, 1938	19,792 97
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	\$74,289 90

THOMAS D. HURLEY,
Tax Collector.

Dr.

Bal. uncollected Jan. 31, 1937	\$20 00	
Interest collected	2 51	

 \$22 51

Cr.

Paid treasurer	\$ 6 51	
Abatements	16 00	

 \$22 51

1931

Dr.

Bal. uncollected Jan. 31, 1937	\$272 40	
Interest collected	1 05	

 \$273 45

Cr.

Paid treasurer	\$237 05	
Abatements	36 40	

 \$273 45

1932

Dr.

Bal. uncollected Jan. 31, 1937	\$704 97	
Interest collected	1 71	

 \$706 68

Cr.

Paid treasurer	\$596 21	
Abatements	110 47	

 \$706 68

1933

Dr.

Bal. uncollected Jan. 31, 1937	\$1311 40	
Interest collected	66	

 \$1312 06

Cr.

Paid treasurer	\$1023 81	
Abatements	173 84	
Bal. uncollected Jan. 31, 1938	114 41	

 \$1312 06

1934

Dr.

Bal. uncollected Jan. 31, 1937 \$1588 26

Interest collected 1 38

 \$1589 64

Cr.

Paid treasurer \$1267 55

Abatements 226 69

Bal. uncollected Jan. 31, 1938 95 40

 \$1589 64

Paid treasurer \$355.75, including interest for 1935
 Tax Sales redeemed for year of 1934 levy.

Respectfully submitted,
 JOSEPH E. HURLEY.

Report of Police Department

February 1, 1937 to February 1, 1938

Complaints, family troubles, etc.	99
Auto accidents	13
Calls from other departments	15
Store doors and windows unlocked, secured	28
Lodgers, or tramps	110
Missing boys	1
Mileage with police car	748
Arrests:	
Driving auto under influence	8
Drunkenness	4
Escaped insane person, apprehended	1
Leaving the scene of an accident	1
Breaking and entering, larceny	1
Larceny of money	1
Safe keeping	5
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Total	21

EDGAR J. RECORD,
Chief of Police.

Report of Water Commissioners

Except for a few days when the old reservoir was being cleaned the supply has been from this source. In the spring of 1937 due to the high water this filled in considerably and the whole basin was thoroughly cleaned. Again in the fall on account of the high water sand and dirt, etc. washed in plugging up the screen over the outlet to the main pipe. The reservoir had to be drawn down and the dirt around the screen cleaned out, the screens repaired and replaced. This caused some extra expense.

Usual leaks, hydrants, etc., have been repaired.

A number of old meters have been repaired and new meters have been purchased. Also a 200 foot hydrant extension has been installed, about \$750 being added to the water works valuation on account of the above.

The leak in the new reservoir continues about the same.

As fast as practical, where needed, services from the main pipes to the meters are being renewed, copper tubing replacing the galvanized iron pipe.

OMER J. SHEA,
LESLIE N. CENTER,
PETER J. DUGAN.

INCOME STATEMENT

Debits

1937 Water Rents

May	\$2656 55
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November	3075 10
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Uncollected 1936	2259 68
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Credits

Paid town treasurer	\$5592 78	
Abated to correct uncollect-		
ed 1936	24 97	
Abated old bills previous		
to 1937	110 87	
Balance 1936 uncollected	723 58	
1937 uncollected	1539 13	
	<hr/>	\$7991 33

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Debits

Bonds	\$2000 00	
Interest on bonds	807 50	
Maintenance	3293 54	
	<hr/>	\$6101 04

Credits

Amount due from town	\$ 22 90	
Paid treasurer	5592 78	
Overdraft on town	485 36	
	<hr/>	\$6101 04

EXPENSES OF WATER DEPARTMENT

For Year Ending Jan. 31, 1938

The Atlantic National Bank, bonds & int.	\$2632 50
Interest on wire fence	175 00
Brown and Saltmarsh, account books	7 60
A. E. Martelle & Co., account books	20 75
John Lammi, labor	2 00
P. W. Robertson, express charges to Boston	1 16
Harold Cheever, rent of barn	36 00
D. E. Emery, moving safe from Peterboro	25 00
Liberty Express, express on box of meters	54
Frank L. Willis, bal. of 1936 bill	48 10
A. T. Willette, labor	1 00
National Meter Co., 25 new meters	337 50
Charles J. Warren, office safe	50 00

National Meter Co., repairing meters	55 95
Erland Frye, painting hydrants	68 70
The Cabinet Press, bill heads and notices	28 14
Mr. Simone, labor	2 00
Frank L. Willis Co., correcting 1936 report	20 16
Cleaning reservoir, Omer Shea in charge	182 50
Francis Thompson, labor	8 50
Fred W. Clark, supplies	16 50
Wilfrid Berube, supplies	4 85
Carl Nelson, painting safe	5 00
O. J. Shea, express on jugs to Concord	1 36
Wilton Auto Station, bus to reservoir two trips	4 00
Charles Jowders, Sr., labor	6 00
George E. Trudel Co., copper tubing	70 88
Wallace and Turnan, supplies chlorinator	7 69
Roger Carey Plumbing Co., labor	1 00
Harold Cheever, Atty., collection of bill	13 00
Wylie Paper Co., office supplies	6 42
Hokinson Express Co., express on copper tubing	96
Joseph Perreault, labor	3 00
Mr. Tarbell, labor	2 00
Wilfred Simone, Jr., labor	1 00
Alva Wylie, Jr., labor	1 00
William Raymond, labor	2 00
Edward LaCasse, oil	24 51
Edmund Beorgeois, labor	5 00
Robert Andrews, labor	8 00
Arthur Todd, gravel	10 25
Arthur Young, gravel	5 00
R. S. Nichols, express	3 53
Boston Shoe Store, pair rubber boots	4 50
Liberty Express, express on 6122 lbs. pipe	18 67
Johnson Barker Co., 400 lbs. lead, 20 lbs. oakum	32 54
J. R. Martin, plumbing on Beard pipe line	5 05

Milford Water Works, Beard and		
Maple St. break	19	90
Ludlow Valve Co., section of hydrant	16	38
Johnson Barker Co., 6182 lbs. iron pipe 6 in.	183	84
Mr. Cousens, labor	17	50
Nylander's Express, express	1	26
Ludlow Valve Co., supplies	4	66
Davison Construction Co., compressor		
machine	52	00
Leslie Center, salary	25	00
Omer Shea, salary	25	00
Omer Shea, use of auto	10	00
Peter J. Dugan, salary as clerk	150	00
Peter J. Dugan, extra work	25	00
John Ferguson, labor	29	00
Sam Mannino, labor	10	00
Office expenses, postage and envelopes	24	00
Wilton Motor Co., supplies	11	95
Harold Cheever, insurance	48	35
Ernest T. Broderick, labor and supplies	453	66
William Hickey, labor	20	55
Michael Shea, labor	18	95
D. Whiting & Sons, supplies	19	32
John Thompson, Jr., labor and truck	169	00
Charles Stewart, labor	71	00
William Foley, labor	20	00
Archie Thompson, labor	68	00
David Balcom, labor	221	00
William Webb, labor	54	50
Robert Campbell and men	36	00
Ed. Varley, labor	63	75
Oscar's Lunch, lunches	5	70
Frank Dunn, supplies	8	43
Charles Jowders, Jr., labor	12	00
Charles Danfield, labor	1	50
Arthur Crosscup, labor	237	00

\$6101 04

Report of Sewer Commissioners

For Year Ending January 31, 1938

During the past year some of the main sewer lines caused trouble, becoming clogged on account of tree roots, sand, small stones, etc. This necessitated hiring a cleaner, and the lines causing trouble were thoroughly cleaned out. On account of this an additional appropriation had to be secured, but it was not necessary to use all of the additional appropriation allowed.

OMER J. SHEA,
LESLIE N. CENTER,
PETER J. DUGAN.

FINANCIAL ACCOUNT

Appropriation \$500.00; Expended \$611.11

Ernest Broderick, labor and supplies	\$308 03
Milford Water Works, machines and labor	163 00
(May 1937)	
Milford Water Works, machines and men	55 00
(July 1937)	
D. Whiting & Sons, supplies	19 00
Frank Dunn, supplies	4 00
D. Therault, labor	9 20
J. Broderick, labor	9 20
A. T. Willette, labor	1 00
Charles Danfield, labor	68
Charles Jowders, Jr., labor	1 00
William Foley, labor	12 00
David Balcom, labor	6 50
Archie Thompson, labor	6 50
Mr. Carrigan, labor	7 00
Lawrence Tighe, labor	9 00
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	\$611 11

Report of Overseer of the Poor

County cases, regular	\$3151 28	
County cases, soldier's aid	1159 01	
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Town cases, regular	\$3522 60	
Town cases, soldier's aid	1411 74	
Hobo meals	8 67	
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Total Welfare		\$9253 30

Respectfully submitted,
C. E. PUTNAM,
Overseer of the Poor.

REPORT OF VALE END CEMETERY COMMITTEE

In April the Selectmen turned over to this committee full charge of the cemetery with the exception of the trust fund lots. An allotment of \$250.00 was granted for maintenance and improvement.

This cemetery is the oldest in town and there are a large number of lots for which there are either no trust funds or insufficient funds for upkeep. This is largely due to the age of many lots, one dating back to 1752.

The burden of upkeep of these lots will probably rest on the town indefinitely and unless a generous amount of money is allotted to this cemetery each year and the same carefully spent, it will be very difficult to keep this cemetery in good condition. When we took charge we found many lots in bad shape and we have tried to correct as many as we could during the year.

We obtained the services of Mr. Archie Thompson to do the work for us. Through his interest and effort the general condition of the cemetery was materially improved.

The committee had expected to do additional work in the fall; but expenses had been excessive in the other two cemeteries and we were asked to allow our work to wait. We therefore did not receive our complete allotment of \$250.00.

We submit an itemized account of expenses herewith:

Wilton Highway Dept., dragging drives	\$ 9 90
Archie Thompson, labor at 45c	47 84
Francis Thompson, labor at 45c	20 02
Francis Thompson, transportation	1 00
Francis Thompson, transportation	1 50
Francis Thompson, labor at 45c	12 15

Archie Thompson, labor at 45c	20 25
C. H. Stanard, supervision	3 00
Quigley's Garage, gasoline	1 87
F. Willette, 1 bag cement	75
H. Glines, horse mowing	2 25
Archie Thompson, labor at 45c	17 55
Francis Thompson, labor at 45c	6 75
David Balcom, labor at 45c	12 15
Erl Melio, labor at 45c	12 15
Archie Thompson, labor at 45c	16 20
H. Glines, horse mowing	6 00
Public Service Co., 12 mo. current	12 00
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	\$203 33

The committee would like to recommend that an allotment be set aside next year to rebuild parts of the wall which is in disrepair. Also the entrance gate posts need replacing, one of which is broken. We suggest that the gates be widened to give more width for vehicles entering the cemetery. We recommend \$150.00 for these special repairs and \$250.00 for general maintenance.

If this cemetery is supervised by an appointed committee in the future we recommend that the few perpetual care lots be left in their charge. This will lead to uniform appearance and economy.

The plantings of trees and shrubs made in 1936 were growing and should improve the grounds in a few years.

Respectfully submitted,
 WHITNEY M. FRYE,
 LUTHER MARK LANGDELL,
 B. H. WRIGHT.

Report of Planning Board

The Planning Board established at the last annual meeting duly organized and elected Philip C. Heald as Chairman and Whitney M. Frye, Clerk. Inasmuch as the Board is a new unit in the town it feels that its first report should contain a brief outline of its functions and objectives.

At the outset it should be distinctly understood that the Board has no authority or power to make rules or regulations of any kind whatsoever and any recommendation must be submitted to the voters of the Town for approval. Its purpose is to determine the outstanding present and future needs of the community and to investigate the ways and means by which these needs can be met. As examples of some of the activities which properly come within the field of town planning may be mentioned Highways and Traffic Conditions, Public Health, Land Uses, Industrial and Recreational Development, Cemeteries, Educational Facilities and Town and Village Improvements. It is the intention of the Board to appoint sub-committees to assist it in making studies of existing conditions in some of the above-mentioned fields, and it also wishes to co-operate with the Wilton Civic Club and any other organizations having constructive ideas for the betterment of the Town.

In its meetings to date the Board has devoted the major part of its time to the considering of Traffic and Parking conditions in the village streets. As a result a set of "Traffic and Parking Ordinances" has been drawn up for presentation to the voters at Town Meeting and we recommend their adoption.

As a basis for any town planning the Board feels that a map of the town is essential and recommends the preparation of such a map at the earliest oppor-

tunity. Such a map is essential should the town desire to adopt any form of Zoning, and should also be of material assistance to such town officials as the Water and Sewer Commissioners, Assessors, Fire Department and Road Agent. We therefore recommended an appropriation of \$250 for that purpose.

PHILIP C. HEALD,
WHITNEY M. FRYE,
JAMES E. BURKE,
JAMES D. ABBOTT,
HAROLD D. CHEEVER,
Wilton Planning Board.

Proposed Traffic Rules

Wilton Traffic and Parking Ordinances as Proposed by the Planning Board for Adoption at Town Meeting March 8, 1938

ARTICLE I

Sec. 1. Parking.

A. No vehicle shall stop or park in such a manner as to obstruct such street crossings as shall be marked by painted lines by order of the Selectmen, except in case of accident or when directed to do so by a police officer, and no vehicle shall park within a distance of less than five feet of any hydrant.

B. Parking on West side of Main Street, from Depot Store to Quigley's Garage, shall be at an angle of forty-five degrees, with the right front wheel to the curb.

C. Parking on East side of Main Street, between Park Street at "Cut" to Maple Street at Hatch's Corner, shall be parallel to curb and within twelve inches thereto and between painted lines where so marked, except in front of Town Hall sidewalk where no parking shall be allowed, except space allotted by Selectmen for Bus to leave and pick up passengers and mail.

D. Parking on East side of Forest Street, between Blinker and Dale Street shall be parallel with curb and within twelve inches thereto.

E. Parking on West side of Forest Street from Blinker to Blacksmith Shop property and on South side of Memorial Lot is prohibited.

F. No parking on South side of Maple Street, between Prince Street and Russell Street during any service or public function at Catholic Church.

Sec. 2.

No person shall wantonly or knowingly place any vehicle or shall allow any vehicle in his charge to stand within three hundred feet of any piece of fire apparatus while it is in service or do any act in any way to knowingly interfere with the actions of the fire department while in service at a fire. No person shall park or permit to be parked any vehicle within a distance of less than five feet of any entrance to buildings where fire apparatus is permanently housed.

Sec. 3. Traffic Regulations.

A. All vehicles shall come to a full stop at any intersection of streets where stop signs have been erected by order of Selectmen or other constituted authority.

B. No vehicle going North on Main Street shall make a right hand turn into Maple Street at Hatch's Corner.

C. No vehicle going North on Maple Street shall make a left hand turn into Main Street at Hatch's Corner.

ARTICLE II

Sec. 1. Penalties for Violations.

A. Any person violating any of the regulations under Section 1, Article I, shall be liable to a fine of not over \$1.00 for the use of the Town of Wilton.

B. Any person violating any of the regulations under Section 2, Article I, shall be liable to a fine of not over \$10.00 and for violating any of the regulations under Section 3, Article I, shall be liable to a fine of not over \$5.00 for the use of the Town of Wilton.

PLANNING BOARD,

PHILIP C. HEALD, Chairman,

J. E. BURKE,

WHITNEY M. FRYE,

JAMES D. ABBOTT.

Report of District Nurse

Visits and Activities, Jan. 15, 1937 to Jan. 15, 1938

Bedside care	170
Maternity care	65
Baby care	78
O. B. S.	10
Long night	1
Innoculations	52
Catheterizations	251
Bladder irrigations	71
Colonic irrigations	7
Wound dressings	16
Rx treatments	202
Massage and exercise	201
Pedicures	5
Ether for doctor	2
Shave	1
Clinic home calls	109
Baby welfare visits	52
Business visits	12
Chronic or aged visits	160
Outside schools—71½ days	
Total Collections	\$400 61
Good bills outstanding	\$173 25

Several needy babies and young children received garments made by Wilton Center Sewing Circle. One Red Cross layette was issued.

Adults to Clinics:

- 3 trips to Elliot Hospital Cancer Clinic,
Dr. Wilkins, 2 patients
- 1 trip to Manchester T. B. Clinic, Dr. Kerr

Pre-school:

- 5 trips Elliot Hospital Orthopedic Clinic
(3 children)

Accompanied Patients:

To Lahey Clinic 21½ days, 3 visits—2 patients
 To County Hospital, 5 trips
 To Memorial Hospital, 1 trip
 To Nashua Physicians, 5 visits

Clinics, Local, Annual:

State Board of Health Baby Pre-School and
 Toxoid Clinic, November 20
 Chest Clinic, Dr. Kerr, June 1937 at Town Hall.
 A group of ladies, local physicians, and the
 nurse cooperated.

Respectfully submitted,

EDNA J. GILBERT, R. N.

Wilton, N. H., February 10, 1938.

Report of Auditors

We have examined the books of the following town officers:

Trustees of the Trust Funds.

Trustees of the E. A. Newell Book Fund.

Trustees of the Wilton Public Library.

Town Clerk: Auto Fees and Registrations; Dog Licenses.

Sewer Commissioners.

Water Commissioners: Charges, receipts and uncollected accounts. All uncollected accounts have been verified.

Selectmen: Receipts and expenditures of the year. All expenditures were properly vouched and all vouchers were accompanied by original invoice.

Tax Collector: Warrant for 1937 presented for collection, additional charges, interest and abatements. Uncollected taxes were checked, listed and verified. Uncollected taxes of previous tax levies were also checked, listed and verified.

Town Treasurer: Outstanding notes and bonds of the town have been verified. Bank balance reconciled and approved.

All receipts and balances of the above accounts were found to be correct. All payments were correct and properly vouched for.

All books were found to be neat in appearance and we wish to extend our appreciation to the several officers for their prompt delivery of books for the audit.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN T. HURLEY, \

PAUL V. HERLIHY,

Auditors.

WILTON PUBLIC LIBRARY

TRUSTEES

DAVID WHITING	President
GEORGE G. BLANCHARD	Secretary-Treasurer
C. ELIZABETH RICE	
HAROLD D. CHEEVER	
JAMES E. DRAPER	
JENNIE F. BARNES	Librarian
MARY F. GAY	Assistant Librarian
PETER F. DUGAN	Custodian

THE FORTY-NINTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE WILTON PUBLIC LIBRARY

Number of volumes	7350
Number added by purchase	159
Number added by gift	47
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	7556
Number withdrawn or lost	166
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Total number of volumes	7390
Magazines received	40
Newspapers	1

SERVICE

Number of days Library open,	151
Number of adult fiction loaned	9011
Number of juvenile fiction loaned	3687
Total number fiction loaned	<hr/> 12698
Number of adult non-fiction loaned	2609
Number of juvenile non-fiction loaned	285
Total number non-fiction loaned	<hr/> 2894
Number of adult magazines	1150
Number of juvenile magazines	193
Total number of magazines	<hr/> 1343
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Total circulation	16935

Active borrowers	375
New borrowers	131

MAGAZINES DONATED

American Forests, by Robert N. Shaw; Calendar Reform, Currier Calendar, Dumb Animals, Golfing, New Hampshire Issue, New Hampshire Library Bulletin, Protectionist, Troubadour, Wilton Journal, by Publisher; Christian Register by Alliance; Life by Willis Hopkins; Sky by David Van Alstyne, Telescope by David Van Alstyne.

BOOKS DONATED

Mrs. William G. Abbott, Mr. David Van Alstyne, Mrs. Harry Blanchard, Mr. Preston Champion, Mr. Fred Clark, Mr. Harry Gregg, Mr. Thomas Horner, Mr. John Pead, Mr. George Proctor, Mr. Robert Shaw, Mr. C. H. Stockwell, Mr. Charles Whiting, Mrs. David Whiting, Alexander Legge Memorial Committee, American Legion Auxiliary, Friends, State of New Hampshire, Wilton Garden Club.

Bookmarks for the use of our patrons have been given by Mr. Fred Sanforn, C. H. Stanard Estate, Kaye's Beauty Shop.

We have much appreciated the gifts mentioned and the cooperation of our High School teachers, the Library Commission, State Library and those who have participated in the New Hampshire Congregational Reading Club.

Miss Frances Russell has continued through the summer her gifts of beautiful flowers.

JENNIE F. BARNES,
Librarian.

REPORT OF TREASURER OF THE LIBRARY

GEORGE G. BLANCHARD, Treasurer,

In account with the Wilton Public Library

Receipts

Feb. 1, 1937, bal. on hand	\$ 200 67
D. A. Gregg Fund Income	1130 33
Charles F. Blanchard Fund Income	280 00
Clara E. Lewis Fund Income	120 00
A. M. Pendleton Fund Income	77 00
Charles H. Burns Fund Income	72 00
George O. Whiting Fund Income	57 60
George A. Newell Fund Income	14 00
Edward A. Newell Fund Income	150 00
Town appropriation	100 00
Fines	60 50
Junk	2 25

\$2264 35

Payments

Salaries	\$1056 08
Fuel	137 09
Books	235 48
Magazines	34 25
Binding	49 20
Electric light	74 80
Telephone	18 00
Water	12 00
Insurance	226 50
Repairs	23 65
Supplies	35 55
Sundries	27 95

\$1930 55

Cash on hand

\$333 80

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE G. BLANCHARD,

Treasurer.

Report of Trustees of Trust Funds

Two funds for care of cemetery lots were received by the Trustees during the year, making total funds for that purpose 93.

The sum of \$216.50 was expended for care of lots during the year.

A list of Trust Funds, showing receipts and expenditures for each fund, follows.

Respectfully submitted,

W. L. STANTON,

For the Trustees.

Report of the Trust Funds for the Town of Wilton for the Year Ending January 31, 1938

Date of Creation	Trust Funds—Purpose of Creation	How Invested	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Balance of Income on hand at Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year
Jan. 14, 1907	Solon Tarbell Fund for Care of Cemetery Lot	Wilton Nat'l Bank, Sav. Dept.	\$100 00		\$17 15	\$2 35	\$3 00	\$16 50
Jan. 14, 1907	M. A. Peabody Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank, Sav. Dept.	100 00		69 00	3 39	2 00	70 39
Jan. 14, 1907	Dorcas Peabody Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank, Sav. Dept.	100 00		69 14	3 39	2 00	70 53
Dec. 31, 1907	Hannah E. Howard Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank, Sav. Dept.	125 00		62 14	3 76	3 00	62 90
Dec. 31, 1907	Hannah E. Howard Fund care of Benj. Parker lot	Wilton Nat'l Bank, Sav. Dept.	125 00		62 51	3 76	3 00	63 27
June 15, 1908	Almira L. Dascomb Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank, Sav. Dept.	100 00		31 12	2 63	2 00	31 75
Apr. 26, 1909	Moses Clark Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank, Sav. Dept.	100 00		2 63	2 05	2 00	2 68
Jan. 11, 1911	Nancy B. Peavey	Wilton Nat'l Bank, Sav. Dept.	300 00		57 13	7 17	3 00	61 30
June 26, 1911	Marietta Snow Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank, Sav. Dept.	100 00		2 60	2 05	2 00	2 65
Feb. 8, 1912	Curtis Bellows Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank, Sav. Dept.	25 00		6 03	62	4 00	2 65
Nov. 25, 1912	Alicia K. Putnam Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank, Sav. Dept.	50 00		63	1 01		2 65
June 28, 1907	Mary A. Woodman Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank, Sav. Dept.	200 00		1 68	4 04	1 50	1 64
June 28, 1907	Charles Rideout Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank, Sav. Dept.	50 00		1 55	1 03	1 50	4 22
June 28, 1907	Andrew N. Burton Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank, Sav. Dept.	200 00		162 46	7 28	3 00	1 08
June 28, 1907	Phoebe S. Putnam Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank, Sav. Dept.	100 00		37 56	2 75	2 00	166 74
Jan. 14, 1905	Jacob Kendall Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank, Sav. Dept.	100 00	All 2 per cent	43 51	2 87	3 00	38 31
Jan. 14, 1905	William E. Fiske Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank, Sav. Dept.	100 00		37 40	2 75	3 00	43 38
Oct. 31, 1918	Henrietta K. Lynch Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank, Sav. Dept.	100 00		32 10	2 65	3 00	37 15
Apr. 7, 1919	Sumner B. Chandler Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank, Sav. Dept.	100 00		30 71	2 62	3 00	31 75
July 30, 1920	Josiah Fleamler Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank, Sav. Dept.	300 00		26 95	6 56	5 00	30 33
Apr. 9, 1920	Eugilia J. Stiles	Wilton Nat'l Bank, Sav. Dept.	100 00		18 49	2 37	3 00	28 51
Jan. 9, 1914	David A. Gregg Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank, Sav. Dept.	200 00		20 25	4 42	8 00	17 86
Jan. 9, 1914	John Gage and Hannah Holt Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank, Sav. Dept.	100 00		13 95	2 28	3 00	16 67
Jan. 9, 1914	William Parker and William W. Parker Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank, Sav. Dept.	100 00		69 57	5 41	10 00	13 23
Jan. 9, 1914	Peter H. Putnam Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank, Sav. Dept.	100 00		10 62	2 21		64 98
Jan. 29, 1914	Ira Wilkins Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank, Sav. Dept.	100 00		37 62	2 75	3 00	12 83
Feb. 13, 1915	Gardner G. Blanchard Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank, Sav. Dept.	100 00		16 55	2 33	5 00	37 37
Feb. 18, 1915	Charles Spalding Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank, Sav. Dept.	100 00		53 68	3 08	3 00	13 88
Feb. 4, 1916	Emma F. Tarbell Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank, Sav. Dept.	100 00		34 44	2 69	3 00	53 76
Feb. 23, 1916	Cordella Sheldon Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank, Sav. Dept.	200 00		86 67	5 75	3 00	34 13
Dec. 1, 1921	Albert E. Merriam Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank, Sav. Dept.	50 00		55	1 01	1 00	89 42
Jan. 17, 1922	Care lot Daniel Warner	Wilton Nat'l Bank, Sav. Dept.	100 00		1 83	2 03	2 00	56
	Dr. Florence Abbott Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank, Sav. Dept.						1 86
	Care lot of Harris Abbott	Wilton Nat'l Bank, Sav. Dept.						

Date	Name	Bank	Sav.	Dept.	All 2 per cent		23 99	4 49	6 00	22 48
					200 00	75 00				
Apr. 15, 1922	Michael P. Stanton Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank,	Sav.	Dept.	200 00		23 99	4 49	6 00	22 48
June 26, 1923	Samuel Barrett Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank,	Sav.	Dept.	75 00		5 41	1 61	3 00	4 02
Dec. 28, 1923	David M. Ray and L. A. Sargent Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank,	Sav.	Dept.		75 00	1 77	1 53	1 00	2 30
Dec. 28, 1923	Daniel E. Adams Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank,	Sav.	Dept.	100 00		10 60	2 21	4 00	8 81
June 25, 1923	Asa Blanchard Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank,	Sav.	Dept.	100 00		27 64	2 55	3 00	27 19
Dec. 28, 1923	George E. Burton Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank,	Sav.	Dept.	100 00		22 30	2 45	3 00	21 75
Dec. 28, 1923	Geo. W. Bean and Geo. A. Langley Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank,	Sav.	Dept.	100 00		2 17	2 05	2 00	2 22
Jan. 24, 1925	Hannah L. Emerson Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank,	Sav.	Dept.	100 00		2 50	2 05	3 00	1 55
May 21, 1925	Care lot of Robert Martin Abiel A. Livermore et als. Fund, for care and improvement South Cem.	Wilton Nat'l Bank,	Sav.	Dept.	160 00		21 41	3 64	5 00	20 05
Feb. 26, 1926	Lizzie M. Carleton Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank,	Sav.	Dept.	100 00		5 69	2 11	3 00	4 80
May 5, 1926	Albert Carleton Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank,	Sav.	Dept.	100 00		8 02	2 17	4 00	6 19
May 4, 1927	Richard M. Moore Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank,	Sav.	Dept.	100 00		5 72	2 11	3 00	4 83
May 4, 1927	Mary L. Shea Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank,	Sav.	Dept.	100 00		9 89	2 19	3 00	9 08
July 26, 1927	Care of Cemetery Lot	Wilton Nat'l Bank,	Sav.	Dept.	100 00		4 61	2 09	3 00	3 70
Nov. 14, 1927	Albert C. Townsend Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank,	Sav.	Dept.	100 00		5 13	2 11	3 00	4 24
Jan. 4, 1928	Warren P. Putnam Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank,	Sav.	Dept.	100 00		1 00	2 03	2 00	1 03
Jan. 4, 1928	David E. Proctor Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank,	Sav.	Dept.	100 00		16 56	2 33	2 00	16 89
Mar. 19, 1928	Clara E. Russell Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank,	Sav.	Dept.	100 00		4 36	2 09	3 00	3 45
Dec. 27, 1928	Margaret Riney Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank,	Sav.	Dept.	100 00		11 31	2 23	3 00	10 54
Dec. 27, 1928	Daniel Cragin Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank,	Sav.	Dept.	50 00		9 95	1 01	1 00	9 6
June 1, 1928	Fred Weston Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank,	Sav.	Dept.	50 00		5 10	1 10	2 00	4 20
Nov. 1, 1928	Henry A. Proctor Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank,	Sav.	Dept.	100 00		13 95	2 28	2 00	14 23
Nov. 1, 1928	Abbie L. Lincoln Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank,	Sav.	Dept.	50 00		2 95	1 05	1 00	3 00
Nov. 1, 1928	Jacob Putnam Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank,	Sav.	Dept.	100 00		14 31	2 29	3 00	13 60
Nov. 8, 1928	Joshua F. Frye Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank,	Sav.	Dept.	100 00		3 34	2 07	2 00	3 41
Jan. 19, 1929	Weltha Farwell Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank,	Sav.	Dept.	100 00		9 76	2 19	2 00	9 95
Jan. 19, 1929	Asa Stiles Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank,	Sav.	Dept.	100 00		5 36	2 11	3 00	4 47
Sept. 23, 1929	Louis C. Aimini Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank,	Sav.	Dept.	50 00		2 29	1 04	2 00	1 33
Nov. 27, 1929	Elmer W. Burton Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank,	Sav.	Dept.	50 00		1 00	1 02	1 00	1 02
Mar. 27, 1930	Samuel A. Putnam Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank,	Sav.	Dept.	100 00		2 97	2 05	3 00	2 02
May 3, 1930	Charles A. Bales Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank,	Sav.	Dept.	125 00		6 71	2 64	3 00	6 35
July 29, 1930	Abiel A. Livermore Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank,	Sav.	Dept.	50 00		1 44	1 02	1 00	1 46
Oct. 25, 1930	John W. Keyes Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank,	Sav.	Dept.	100 00		1 01	2 03	2 00	1 04
Nov. 18, 1930	Henry L. Emerson Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank,	Sav.	Dept.	100 00		52	2 01		2 53
Apr. 18, 1931	Alfred D. Young Fund, care cemetery lot	Wilton Nat'l Bank,	Sav.	Dept.	100 00		65	1 01		1 66
May 27, 1931	Rose A. Richardson, care lot Elmer F. Richardson	Wilton Nat'l Bank,	Sav.	Dept.	50 00		1 57	2 03	2 00	1 60
June 2, 1931	Charles H. White Fund	Wilton Nat'l Bank,	Sav.	Dept.	100 00					

Date	Donor	Amount	Interest	Dividend	Balance	Notes
Nov. 7, 1931	Luke Beard Fund	100 00	1 15	2 03	2 00	1 18
Nov. 12, 1931	Joel Perham Fund	50 00	64	1 01		1 65
Nov. 30, 1931	H. W. & L. C. Barnes Fund	100 00	2 18	2 05	2 00	2 23
Dec. 8, 1931	Benjamin Bedell Fund	100 00	60	2 01		2 61
Jan. 22, 1932	Aaron A. Clark Fund	100 00	3 81	2 07	2 50	3 38
Apr. 7, 1932	Benj. & Wm. H. Hopkins Fund	100 00	80	2 01	2 00	81
Oct. 17, 1932	Samuel M. Brown Fund	200 00	10 18	4 22	4 00	10 40
Oct. 19, 1932	Mark & Henry A. Holt Fund	100 00	95	2 01	1 00	1 96
May 26, 1933	Mary Starkey Fund for care of Dobbins Lot	100 00	9 41	2 19		11 60
June 2, 1933	David Cram Fund	200 00	9 63	4 20	3 00	10 83
Aug. 24, 1933	Mary N. Abbott Fund	100 00	3 47	2 07	1 00	4 54
Dec. 26, 1933	Edw. P. Soderman Fund	50 00	65	1 01		1 66
Feb. 27, 1934	Hannah J. Herlihy Fund	200 00	7 98	4 17	3 00	9 15
Apr. 18, 1934	Blood-Dane Fund	100 00	40	2 01	1 00	1 41
Apr. 25, 1934	Edw. W. Hesselton Fund	150 00	3 66	3 08	3 00	3 74
Apr. 25, 1934	Geo. W. Perham Fund	100 00	4 48	2 09	3 00	3 57
May 9, 1934	Geo. W. Hatch Fund	100 00	5 22	2 11	2 00	5 33
July 23, 1934	Philip Desilets Fund	100 00	5 70	2 11		7 81
Feb. 25, 1935	Hattie M. White Fund	50 00	5 18	1 10	2 00	4 28
Dec. 4, 1935	Isaac N. and Myron J. Hutchinson Fund	75 00	1 44	1 53	1 00	1 97
Feb. 12, 1936	Albert F. & Walter B. Ayers Fund	100 00	1 50	2 03		3 53
July 8, 1936	David Cragin Fund, care lot of Augustus Cragin	50 00	5 60	1 11		6 71
Dec. 23, 1936	Charles Russell Fund	100 00		1 67		1 67
Sept. 1, 1937	Effie E. Dunbar Fund	50 00		17		17
Dec. 15, 1937	Arthur A. Moore Fund	100 00				
	Hannah Howard Fund for School Purposes	1430 00	9%	99 00	99 00	
	1 Boston & Maine R. R. Gold Bond	1000 00	5%	50 00	50 00	
	1 Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe R. R. Bond	5000 00	4%	200 00	200 00	
	Northern Pacific & Great Northern R. R. Bond	2000 00	6%	120 00	120 00	
	12 Shares American Tel. & Tel. Co. Stock	1560 00	9%	108 00	108 00	
	1500 Federal Farm Loan Bonds	1572 51	3 1/4%	48 75	48 75	
	Isaac Spalding Fund for School Purposes					

Wilton School District

SCHOOL BOARD AND OFFICERS

SCHOOL BOARD

Mrs. Elizabeth Pierce, Chairman and Secretary

George S. Proctor

Daniel R. Batchelder

SUPERINTENDENT

Vernon S. Ames

DISTRICT TREASURER

Miss Julia M. Kegy

TRUANT OFFICER AND JANITOR

Lawrence Tighe

PRESENT TEACHING FORCE

High School and Grades VII and VIII

Caleb H. Niles, Headmaster

Mathematics

George A. Buckle, Jr.

Physics, Chemistry, Mechanical Drawing

Louis T. Rudolph Physical Education, Mech. Arts

Mrs. F. Gladys deRheims

English, History, Sociology

Miss Lillian Holt

French, History, English

Miss Jeannette Linton

Dom. Arts, High and Junior High; Biology

Miss Marie Sweny

Commercial Subjects; Economics, Science, Jr. High

Miss Dorothy Cunningham

Junior High

Grade Schools

Mrs. Jennie W. Bryan	Grade VI
Miss Frances H. Mills	Grade V
Miss Florence Rideout	Grade IV
Mrs. Pauline K. Joslin	Grade III
Miss Esther Thornton	Grade II
Miss Bertha M. Patenaude	Grade I
Miss Ethelyn G. Edwards	Music

SCHOOL CALENDAR

1937-1938:

January 3 to February 18	7 weeks
February 28 to April 15	7 weeks
April 25 to June 10	7 weeks
High School to June 17	
High School Graduation—Friday, June 17	

1938-1939:

September 6 to November 23	11½ weeks
November 28 to December 23	4 weeks
January 4 to February 17	6½ weeks
February 27 to April 14	7 weeks
April 24 to June 9	7 weeks
High School to June 16	
High School Graduation—Friday, June 16	
Holidays: November 11—May 30	

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL BOARD

The School Board of Wilton submits the following report:

Education is the fitting of oneself to live. The art of living may be interpreted in various ways, but there are fundamentals which are common to all. The home trains the child in religion, morals, family relationships, etc. The school rounds out the education by developing the mental and physical sides. The same kind of mental stipulation does not appeal to everybody. Regardless of subjects, our teachers aim to develop characteristics which will not only guide youth in their present and personal needs, but will also prepare them for future citizenship. Education should develop personality, courage, the ability to concentrate, think clearly and express one's ideals in their everyday life.

A sound mind is usually found in a sound body. And so the physical training goes hand in hand with the mental. To keep the body fit, a part of each day should be spent at games or exercise preferably out of doors. Such a habit required in the younger years will carry through a life time.

For the past few years, the schools, like all publicly supported institutions have been asked to retrench. Fewer dollars mean economies in various ways, fewer repairs, fewer textbooks, and magazines, lower salaries and additional work for teachers, and changes in the subjects now taught.

The problem of the School Board has been to maintain, as far as possible, a school which will meet State requirements and at the same time offer to the boys and girls of Wilton an opportunity for education equal to that of any other school of its size. It has seemed advisable to drop Latin, where the enrollment was low and to offer in its place more

French. Two years of business have been offered. Where classes are small it seems advisable to offer a subject on alternate years. A small class is expensive to operate and not stimulating to either pupils or teacher.

If the taxpayers of Wilton want a lower tax rate the School Board is willing to take its cut with the other town departments; but it will necessitate changes, and we ask the cooperation of parents, pupils and teachers to meet this emergency. Living within one's budget is one of our great civic problems. The challenge has been thrown to us, let us meet it.

ELIZABETH M. PIERCE,
GEORGE S. PROCTOR,
DANIEL R. BATCHELDER,
School Board.

BUDGET—1938-1939

Estimate of proposed expenditures in the School District of Wilton for the fiscal year July 1, 1938 to June 30, 1939, and recommendations of sums to be assessed, including statutory requirements.

ESTIMATED EXPENDITURES

Salaries of district officers	\$ 200 00
Superintendent's excess salary	600 00
Truant officer & school census	50 00
Expenses of administration	500 00
Teachers' salaries	18,000 00
Textbooks	650 00
Scholars' supplies	800 00
Flags and appurtenances	25 00
Other expenses of instruction	450 00
Janitor service	1,150 00
Fuel	1,150 00

Water, light, janitor's supplies	700 00	
Minor repairs and expenses	1,000 00	
Medical inspection and health supervision	650 00	
Transportation of pupils	3,000 00	
Other special activities	150 00	
Insurance and rental	400 00	
New equipment	450 00.	
Payment of principal of debt	3,500 00	
Payment of interest on debt	402 50	
Tax for state wide supervision (\$2 per pupil)	714 00	
Total estimated cost of operation of schools	<hr/>	\$34,541 50

ESTIMATED REVENUE

From Sources Other Than Taxation:

State aid	\$1,182 70	
Dog licenses	300 00	
Howard and Spaulding Funds	650 00	
High school tuition	1,040 00	
Other receipts	200 00	
	<hr/>	\$3,372 70
Total Assessment for School District		<hr/> \$31,168 80

ELIZABETH M. PIERCE,
 GEORGE S. PROCTOR,
 DANIEL R. BATCHELDER,
 School Board.

DISBURSEMENTS**July 1, 1936 to June 30, 1937****School District Officers:**

Edward J. Abbott, chairman	\$40 00	
Elizabeth M. Pierce, secretary	70 00	
George S. Proctor	40 00	
Julia M. Kecz, treasurer	50 00	
John T. Hurley, auditor	5 00	
Paul V. Herlihy, auditor	5 00	
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		\$210 00

Superintendent's Excess Salary:

Treasurer Supervisory Union No. 63	\$579 56
Truant Officer and Census Enumerator:	
Fred Morrison	\$42 50

Expenses of Administration:

Wilton Telephone Co.	\$59 35	
Julia Kecz	1 23	
Edson C. Eastman Co.	12 25	
Harold D. Cheever	10 00	
R. H. Llewellyn	1 50	
V. S. Ames	10 95	
R. S. Nichols	3 56	
Harlan Atherton	16 38	
N. H. Supervisory Union No. 63	349 78	
Cabinet Press	7 98	
School Service Co.	11 12	
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		\$484 10

Principal's and Teachers' Salaries:

Caleb H. Niles	\$2000 00
Eleanor Wadleigh	1029 25
F. Gladys Morton	1400 00
Stephen P. Tracy	1400 00
Patricia Thayer	1200 00

Frances E. Shea	1200 00
Blanche Johnson	294 00
John Conrad	1200 00
Dorothy Cunningham	1100 00
Jennie W. Bryan	1000 00
Frances H. Mills	1000 00
Florence Rideout	994 45
Pauline K. Joslin	1000 00
Ethelyn Edwards	1000 00
Esther Thornton	850 00
Bertha M. Patenaude	1000 00
Evelyn Whiting	37 50
Mildred B. Gage	7 50
Helen Whiting	5 00
	<hr/> \$17,717 70

Textbooks:

Dura Binding Co.	\$ 28 70
D. Appleton-Century Co.	12 44
L. W. Singer Co.	142 70
Georgia School Book Depository, Inc.	11 66
Philip Morris	2 80
Lyons and Carnahan	30 40
Eastern Radio Co.	14 00
Rand McNally Co.	7 15
Gregg Publishing Co.	16 63
Macmillan Co.	27 33
Ginn and Co.	19 07
Row, Peterson Co.	21 05
Allyn and Bacon	13 68
Edward E. Babb and Co., Inc.	23 23
World Book Co.	15 79
American Book Co.	23 92
Silver Burdett Co.	52 57
John C. Winston Co.	39 58
Charles E. Merrill Co.	8 18
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\$510 88

Scholars' Supplies:

Dunbar's Market	\$23 63
Frank Dunn	28 36
David Whiting and Sons, Inc.	71 41
E. A. French	39 35
F. W. Clark	29 63
Hillsborough Mills	7 55
A. H. Young	10 95
Margaret Ladue	5 02
Cleary's Pharmacy	8 98
V. S. Ames	2 52
Gregg Publishing Co.	16 93
Wm. L. Nutting, Inc.	25
J. H. Faught and Son	2 95
Cambosco Scientific Co.	18 33
Lyons and Carnahan	1 34
Scott Foresman Co.	8 28
Acme Typewriter Exchange	5 00
Bostitch Sales Co.	12 00
Papercrafters	24 00
Houghton Mifflin Co.	5 02
Milton Bradley Co.	157 48
A. E. Brown	2 74
Wilbur D. Gilpatric	37 82
Gledhill Brothers, Inc.	44 05
Philip H. James	30 50
J. L. Hammett Co.	70 11
Charles E. Merrill Co.	5 28
Edward E. Babb and Co., Inc.	59 78
Southwestern Publishing Co.	5 91

 \$735 17
Flags and Appurtenances:

J. L. Hammett Co.	\$6 15
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Other Expenses of Instruction:

The Bobbs Merrill Co.	\$ 6 96
Charles E. Merrill Co.	31 77
Farrar and Rinehart	96

Vernon S. Ames	2 54
Mildred B. Gage	120 00
Rubank, Inc.	28 71
Benjamin H. Sanborn Co.	2 02
Houghton Mifflin Co.	3 98
D. Appleton-Century Co.	3 22
Edward B. Marks Music Corp.	4 02
Beckley-Cardy Co.	5 54
World Book Co.	26 34
Northwestern Press	79
Consumer's Research	1 00
Milton Bradley Co.	5 00
Marsh Parsons	1 56
D. C. Heath and Co.	5 68
A. S. Barnes and Co.	7 23
Edward E. Babb and Co., Inc.	11 62
McGraw-Hill Co.	2 57
J. P. Melzer Est.	10 75
McCormack-Mathers Co.	2 86
Thomas Nelson and Sons	15 40
Stephen P. Tracy	11 35
A. C. Wiles	6 18
Professional and Technical Press	2 68
American Book Co.	1 80
Theodore Presser Co.	6 65
Laidlaw Brothers	2 54
C. C. Birchard and Co.	17
Mrs. Fred Russell	9 35
Public School Publishing Co.	6 88
Civic Education Service	12 00
Ginn and Co.	4 41
Charles Scribner and Sons	1 46
William L. Nutting, Inc.	4 68
Wick-Narrow Fabric Co.	1 60
Scott Foresman Co.	3 56
American Education Press, Inc.	54 00
Rand McNally Co.	50

Janitors' Salaries:

Fred Morrison	\$834 75	
Lawrence Tighe	388 00	
	<hr/>	\$1222 75

Fuel:

Boston and Maine Railroad	\$104 40	
Hillsborough Mills	164 55	
New England Coal and Coke Co.	747 27	
Orville Frye	36 00	
John F. Burke	94 30	
	<hr/>	\$1146 52

Water, Light and Janitors' Supplies:

Public Service Co. of N. H.	\$451 52	
J. Roy Newton	7 20	
Masury Young Co.	89 88	
C. B. Dolge Co.	2 06	
Frank Dunn	25 40	
Pioneer Manufacturing Co.	15 18	
D. F. Munroe Co.	7 50	
P. W. Robertson	85	
Benjamin Sanborn Co.	2 25	
West Disinfecting Co.	68 39	
	<hr/>	\$670 23

Minor Repairs and Expenses:

Paul Doherty	\$ 18 60	
W. W. Adrian	116 47	
George Abbott	1 50	
Manchester Roofing Co.	106 58	
Wilton Auto Station	3 90	
Ernest Broderick	197 96	
Lester Batchelder	101 07	
Edward E. Babb & Co., Inc.	93 71	
C. E. Putnam	7 36	
People's Laundry	20 00	
V. S. Ames	25	

Arthur Sanborn	2 20	
Fred Tarbell	14 00	
W. E. Foster	10 00	
George Hutchinson	5 50	
D. Whiting and Sons, Inc.	75 55	
Standard Electric Time Co.	22 45	
Frank Dunn	68 53	
J. W. Flanagan	36 85	
P. F. Sullivan	25 51	
William L. Nutting, Inc.	10 00	
	<hr/>	\$937 99

Medical Inspection and Health Supervision:

Edna J. Gilbert, R. N.	\$500 00	
C. Elizabeth Rice, M. D.	50 00	
J. E. Powers, M. D.	50 00	
J. L. Hammett Co.	5 37	
Cleary's Pharmacy	9 20	
	<hr/>	\$614 57

Transportation of Pupils:

Alice Huber	\$ 679 70	
Wilton Auto Station	2141 53	
Gordon Wright	15 00	
	<hr/>	\$2836 23

Other Special Activities:

Frank Dunn	\$30 37	
James P. Melzer Est.	5 25	
Edward E. Babb and Co., Inc.	68 62	
William Westland Co.	23 19	
People's Laundry	47 49	
Horace Partridge Co.	1 73	
	<hr/>	\$176 65

Insurance:

Harold D. Cheever	\$719 76
(\$50 refunded)	

Alteration of Old Buildings:

Lester Batchelder	\$180 30	
Ernest Broderick	200 00	
David Whiting and Sons, Inc.	102 40	
Frank Dunn	16 07	
J. W. Flanagan	64 30	
	<hr/>	\$563 07

New Equipment:

Woodstock Typewriter Co.	\$165 00	
W. H. Avery	44 96	
Edward E. Babb and Co., Inc.	99 56	
Frank Dunn	32 80	
Cambosco Scientific Co.	5 18	
Lester Batchelder	11 37	
Athletic Trainer's Supply Co.	29 04	
Rand McNally Co.	6 08	
David Whiting and Sons, Inc.	4 46	
Fred Morrison	42 00	
Lawrence Tighe	22 00	
O. H. Toothaker	3 00	
Underwood Elliot Fisher Co.	60 00	
J. L. Hammett Co.	15 25	
	<hr/>	\$540 70

Payment of Principal of Debt:

Willis Hopkins	\$2000 00	
C. O. Proctor	1000 00	
Elizabeth Proctor	1000 00	
	<hr/>	\$4000 00

Payment of Interest on Debt:

Willis Hopkins	\$ 88 75	
C. O. Proctor	50 00	
Elizabeth M. Proctor	95 00	
Sarah Curtis	25 00	
Ida Taft	100 00	

Caroline Carleton and Annie Savage	67 50	
Jennie Abbott for Jane Abbott	45 00	
Second Congregational Church	22 50	
Charles Wheeler	45 00	
Wilton National Bank	90 00	
	<hr/>	\$628 75

Obligations from Previous Year:

Hillsborough Mills	\$ 3 00	
Fred Tarbell	15 50	
	<hr/>	\$18 50

Per Capita Tax:

State Treasurer	\$746 00	
Total expenditures	\$35,538 11	
Cash in treasury July 1, 1937	3 86	
	<hr/>	\$35,541 97

SUMMARY

July 1, 1936 to June 30, 1937

Salaries of district officers	\$ 210 00
Superintendent's excess salary	579 56
Truant officer and census enumerator	42 50
Expenses of administration	484 10
Principal's and teachers' salaries	17,717 70
Textbooks	510 88
Scholars' supplies	735 17
Flags and appurtenances	6 15
Other expenses of instruction	430 33
Janitor service	1,222 75
Fuel	1,146 52
Water, light, and janitor's supplies	670 23
Minor repairs and expenses	937 99
Medical inspection and health supervision	614 57
Transportation of pupils	2,836 23
Other special activities	176 65

Insurance	719 76
Alteration of old buildings	563 07
New equipment	540 70
Payment of principal of debt	4,000 00
Payment of interest on debt	628 75
Obligations of previous year	18 50
Per capita tax	746 00
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	\$35,538 11
Cash in treasury, July 1, 1937	3 86
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	\$35,541 97

ELIZABETH M. PIERCE,
Secretary, Wilton School Board.

BALANCE SHEET**Assets—June 30, 1937**

Cash balance	\$ 3 86	
Due from American Legion	17 00	
	<hr/>	\$20 86

Liabilities—June 30, 1937

1937-1938 money advanced	\$ 70 00	
Unpaid bills	269 71	
Bonds outstanding	13,500 00	
	<hr/>	\$13,839 71
Net Debt, June 30, 1937		<hr/> \$13,818 85

ANNUAL STATEMENT CONCERNING SCHOOL DEBT FOR YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1938

2nd SERIES NOTES: (High School wing)

\$ 500.00 due January 1, 1939

1,000.00 due January 1, 1940

1,000.00 due January 1, 1941

\$2,500.00

Interest at 5%

3rd SERIES NOTES: (Auditorium)

\$3,000.00 due January 1, 1939

\$3,000.00

Interest at $4\frac{1}{2}\%$

REFUNDING NOTES:

\$1,000.00 due January 1, 1940

Interest at $3\frac{3}{4}\%$

1,000.00 due January 1, 1941

1,000.00 due January 1, 1942

1,000.00 due January 1, 1943

\$4,000.00

Interest at $3\frac{1}{2}\%$

Respectfully submitted,

ELIZABETH M. PIERCE,
Secretary, Wilton School Board.

REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER

For Year Ending June 30, 1937

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand		\$127 87
L. N. Center, treas.,		
taxation	\$27,229 11	
Dog tax	341 55	
1937-38 money	70 00	
	<hr/>	27,640 66
Tuition:		
District of Lyndeboro	1065 95	
District of Temple	320 00	
District of Greenfield	80 00	
	<hr/>	1,465 95
Howard Fund	147 02	
Spalding Fund	497 13	
	<hr/>	644 15
Sale of rural schoolhouses	1145 63	
Refunded notes	4000 00	
State of New Hampshire	236 05	
Auditorium rentals	131 50	
Refunds	53 22	
Sale of window shades		
and stove	36 00	
Sale Manual Arts projects	15 92	
Supplies, Lyndeboro and		
Greenfield school districts	7 50	
Tel. tolls and misc.	37 52	
	<hr/>	5,663 34
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		\$35,541 97

PAYMENTS

Paid 506 school orders	\$35,538 11
Cash on hand	3 86
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	\$35,541 97

JULIA M. KEY,
Treasurer.

AUDITORS' REPORT

This is to verify that we have audited the reports of the officers of the School District of Wilton and find them in agreement and properly vouched.

JOHN T. HURLEY,
PAUL V. HERLIHY,

Auditors of Wilton School District.

August 16, 1937.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

To the School Board and Citizens of Wilton:

I respectfully submit my fifteenth annual report as Superintendent of Schools.

Supervision

Without reducing any of the usual routine activities of supervision discussed in previous reports, I am attempting this year to give particular emphasis to Reading. This emphasis is being directed along two lines,—first, with the reading activities of the child's first year in school, in an effort to reduce the number of failures; and second, in grades above the first, to overcome the difficulties some children have in reading, by diagnosing their troubles and providing some degree of remedial instruction.

Recent years have brought many changes in the theory and practice of teaching beginners to read. The results of scientific investigation have given us a clearer understanding of the way children learn. The process of learning to read is made up of five rather clearly defined stages of development. In each of these stages very definite aims have been set up and until the child has attained certain standards of achievement in the first stage, we cannot expect him to go on successfully in the next stage.

We call the first of these five the "Preparatory Stage." Children enter first grade with varying degrees of readiness and the first task of the teacher is to discover the degree of readiness of each child and to provide experiences which will supplement those the children have already had in the home and community, in order to bring about as rapidly as possible certain physical, social, and emotional adjustments, and supply a background of ideas and a freedom in conversation which will enable the children to enter the second stage of reading on as

nearly an equal basis as may be possible. However, it is obvious that not all children will be ready for the second and succeeding stages at the same time, and our greatest administrative problem is to so organize the work that each child may be able to progress at his own best rate.

The second stage of development in reading includes the pre-primer period, when the child becomes able to read simple sentence units; the primer period, where he learns to read units of two or more sentences fluently and understandingly; and the first-reader period when he learns to read simple material quite independently, becomes absorbed in getting the meaning, and enjoys reading by himself. This is ordinarily the extent of a child's progress during the first year in school, but there are always some children who have completed these two stages before the end of the first year, and others who need more than one year to accomplish it successfully.

We are attempting this year to send reports of progress to parents in forms that indicate quite minutely to what degree the child has met the standards set up for each period of learning to read, believing that the parent should know as intimately as possible the progress made by his own child.

The work in remedial reading in the upper grades has not yet been so definitely organized as I have just described for the first grade. Progress has been made, however, and all of the teachers are giving special study to methods of remedial reading, some of the necessary testing has been done, and some remedial teaching is being done. A more complete report of this work will be given next year.

Physical Education

In my report a year ago there was a description of the plan of organization for the Junior and Senior High School grades with a statement that every pupil was required to participate for three

periods a week in the activities provided and entirely under the instruction of the physical director. That plan has been in operation continuously throughout last year and the current year, and forms a very useful and vital part of the education of these young people.

The physical education plan for the first six grades has been somewhat enlarged this year so that each grade group has in addition to one period a week with the class room teacher, another period a week conducted by the physical director; and this is so planned that while the boys of a given grade are with the physical director in the gymnasium, or on the playground, the girls are with their own teacher for special remedial work in Reading and other subjects, and when the girls are with the physical director the boys are with the regular teacher in similar work.

The list of activities given last year for Junior High School and High School groups had reference to those suitable for outdoor use for fall and spring. To help complete that picture, here is a brief summary of indoor winter activities for grades three to six: Marching and calisthenic exercises with emphasis on the use of the large muscles of the arms, legs, and trunk are varied with games including a variety of relays, "Simon Says," "Feathers," etc., all of which apply the calisthenic exercises and are participated in by all the pupils. The enlargement of this program of physical education in the grades together with the requirements of the music groups, including glee clubs, orchestra and band, called for a greater number of periods use of the gymnasium than the length of the school day affords. Relief was found through the cooperation of the Unitarian Church which agreed to rent the vestry to us two afternoons a week at a figure representing no more than their cost of fuel, light and janitor service.

Music

The regular class room work in Music, including the Music Appreciation in the high school, has been carried out together with the glee clubs, orchestras and band as described in the reports of last year and the year before. In the high school, participation in any of the music activities is voluntary and the very large proportion of pupils electing one or more phases of it testifies to its popularity and value.

Budget, 1938-1939

The School Board's itemized list of estimated expenditures does not differ materially from the estimates given last year, and the total estimated expenditure is \$123.50 less than last year. The following items carry slight increases because actual costs this year are exceeding last year's estimates: Expenses of Administration \$100; Light and Janitor's Supplies \$50; and Scholars' Supplies \$100. The \$500 increase in Repairs is recommended to cover painting and other items that have been sacrificed through the depression. There should doubtless be an increase in the insurance coverage on the contents of the two buildings, and it has been necessary this year to rent the vestry of the Unitarian Church two afternoons a week to make room for the glee clubs, orchestra, and band. Fuel is costing more because of the increased price and the greatly increased use of the Auditorium by parties outside the school as well as by the school itself.

These increases are offset by decreases in the following items: Transportation \$100; Alterations \$200; New Equipment \$350; Debt Payment \$500; and Interest Payment \$180.

Since the proposed expenditures remain practically the same as last year the increase of approximately \$300 in the assessment recommended is due

to the loss of income through high school tuitions; seven tuition pupils are in this year's graduating class and we know of only three or four new tuition pupils to enter next September.

This budget has been reviewed by the Budget Committee, and if their proposed recommendation of a ten per cent reduction in the budgets of all town departments, including the school district, prevails, it will mean a reduction of some \$3100 in the school budget. In that case we shall be obliged to study very carefully where reductions can be made in the items of the budget to save the \$3100 with the minimum of harm resulting. It would appear that sacrifices would have to be made in the items of Repairs, Textbooks, Other Expenses of Instruction, Rent of Vestry, which with such savings as could be made in a few other items in the budget might total \$1500. Several hundred dollars could be saved on the item of Teachers' Salaries by refusing to grant the increases which several teachers would ordinarily receive. It would appear that the balance of the \$3100 could be found only by eliminating one teacher from the present staff.

An intelligent consideration of the possibility of eliminating one teacher requires a study of the present program of studies of the Senior and Junior High School. We have this year combined the small junior and senior mathematics classes, also the junior and senior domestic arts classes. In addition to this saving of teaching time it would be possible to combine the junior and senior classes in economics and sociology. The number of juniors and seniors taking domestic arts is likely to be comparatively small next year so that the omission of that class would probably affect fewer pupils than the omission of any other class. With these reductions and the assignment of somewhat heavier teaching loads to the other members of the staff, the plan would

appear to be possible. Further study, with more accurate knowledge of the needs of next year's pupils, will enable us to revise the plan tentatively suggested here and will be cheerfully undertaken in order that the proposal of the Budget Committee to reduce the burden of taxation may be accomplished.

Respectfully submitted,

VERNON S. AMES,

Superintendent.

Wilton, N. H., February 16, 1938.

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL NURSE

To the School Board and Citizens of Wilton:

I submit my annual report as School Nurse. Report of physical examination for girls by Dr. C. Elizabeth Rice, and for boys by Dr. J. E. Powers.

Total number examined	292
Number without defect, including teeth	161
Uncorrected vision defects	34
Wearing glasses—good correction	36
Wearing glasses—poor correction	7
New vision defects found, Dec. and Jan.	12
Corrections, new defects	4
Without sight in one eye	1
10 % under average weight	59
10 % over average weight	16
Hearing defects with audiometer	6
Excessive wax in ears	7
Anaemia (under treatment)	1
Nervous condition (under treatment)	2
Cardiac (under treatment)	12
New cases	3
Pulmonary (1 corrected, 1 excluded)	4
Pneumonia (recovered)	2
Skin-acne	8

Impetigo (excluded until corrected)	1
Pediculosis (excluded until corrected)	3
Defective teeth	99
Defective tonsils	78
Corrections in Clinic	21
Orthopedic (2 X-rayed)	4
Poor standing posture	7
Clinic Orthopedic:	
Pedal Deformity—Brace changed March	1
Tortacolis—Helmet cast, and collar— treatment corrected	1
Enlarged glands	2
Fatty tumors	1
Boils	3
Exclusions for contagious diseases:	
Whooping cough, October—2 cases, 1 contact	
Measles, December—3 cases, 2 contacts	
January—16 cases, 10 contacts	
February—6 cases, 2 contacts	
Diphtheria toxoid before school enrollment	
	16 in Grade I
At Pre-School Clinic, November 20, 1937	17

An audiometer loaned by the State Board of Health is being used by the nurse to measure hearing. After correcting the first scores she retests those failing. The audiometer is the best known measure of hearing.

February 7, 8, and 9, 1938, 295 children, Grades II to XII, had hearing acruity tested. 201 were scored within the normal range, 34 with perfect hearing in one ear, 22 with perfect hearing in both ears, 6 were found to have serious hearing handicap, one in both ears, five in one ear only.

One child with a past history of double mastoid was found to be with perfect hearing. Another with mastoid history, one ear, scored within the normal

range. A third child having previously suffered mastoid, one ear, shows hearing in that ear to be defective.

The audiometer tests being purely a measure of hearing, the mentally confused children were eliminated from the non-hearing group by repetition of effort and finally by a more simple test with slower timing; a small number who were unable to follow directions, by extra supervision and instruction. Seventy-four pupils were re-tested; eighteen three to five times. An interested parent asks about the possibility of memorizing after several re-tests. There are 136 digits in the greater, 96 in the lesser test for either ear. He might memorize a small number, but would have to hear them first.

Extra effort will be made to follow up hearing defects noted and advice and treatment by physician sought.

Respectfully submitted,

EDNA J. GILBERT, R. N.

School Nurse.

HEADMASTER'S REPORT

To the Superintendent of Schools and School Board of Wilton:

I submit herewith my second annual report as Headmaster of Wilton High School.

In view of the close contact that you have with Wilton High School and the opportunity for frequent conferences, it will perhaps be best to make this report in the nature of a summary of High School activities during the past year, adding a few comments on such matters as may need special attention.

School Plant and Equipment. Repairs made during the summer, including the refinishing of Room E and the installation of new lights in that room, resurfacing of desks in eighth grade room, the purchase of a new table and chairs for the library, a mimeograph for the commercial department, and a filing cabinet for the Headmaster's office have been a great help. There still is need for better lighting and ventilation in many of the rooms, particularly in study hall where most of school study time is spent. On the whole, school plant and equipment, although not all modern, offer adequate opportunity for substantial school work.

Staff. Of much greater importance than plant and equipment of any school is the personnel of the school staff. Wilton suffered a real loss in the resignations of such teachers as Stephen Tracy, John Conrad, Eleanor Wadleigh, and Patricia Thayer. The inevitable replacement by new, inexperienced teachers, and the adjustments necessary to such a large turnover of teachers must always be a handicap to the attainment of the best results. A school is no better than its teaching staff. In spite of the genuine need of tax reduction, it is false economy to

allow real teachers to leave Wilton because of relatively small salary adjustments.

Courses of Study. Our course of study has been enriched this year by the addition of a course in Biology, while Latin has been dropped. This is in line with educational policies elsewhere, and seems a logical move, as only a very few pupils elect courses in Latin, and the per pupil cost of teaching Latin was excessive. Our commercial course, although limited to two years' work, is extremely practical and worthwhile. The Domestic Arts course should, I believe, be chosen by a relatively large percentage of the girls throughout the four years. Physical Education is required of all, and from a study just reported of the work in this field in New Hampshire schools, Wilton stands very high.

Attendance and Discipline. Attendance at Wilton High School is somewhat better than last year; nevertheless, it can and should be improved. Many absences and almost all tardiness are entirely unnecessary and extremely harmful to successful work in school. Many failures to pass subjects can be traced directly to poor attendance. Absence for trivial reasons and frequent inexcusable tardiness are often the beginning of more serious delinquency, and I cannot urge too strongly that parents cooperate wholeheartedly with us in insisting on regular attendance.

Our aim in regard to discipline is to train pupils in self-restraint and self-discipline. Pupils are allowed privileges and advantages in proportion to their responsibility and ability to use such privileges wisely and properly. It is our aim to have pupils recognize this personal responsibility for their own behavior, even though we must occasionally enforce good behavior and obedience, and in extreme cases eliminate some pupils from school.

Other Activities. Aside from the regular routine

of the classroom, Wilton has been extremely fortunate in its other activities. Music and Dramatics play an important part in any good school program, and in our Junior and Senior Dramatic Clubs, Glee Clubs, Orchestra and Band, very successful work has been accomplished. Our Junior and Senior Social Clubs have afforded pupils an opportunity to learn dancing and other social usages.

In athletics, both interclass and interscholastic, for both boys and girls, Wilton has been quite fortunate. We have tried to keep our athletic program well balanced, and although basketball in season seems to many people overemphasized, I think this belief is due to the enthusiasm of the spectators, rather than to any serious overemphasis in the minds of the pupils or teachers. Speed ball, tennis, volley ball, baseball, winter sports, rifle club, and other sports all have their chances in proper season. A bi-weekly school newspaper, a credit to any school, has made its innovation this year. All activities are on a sound financial basis, due to wholehearted support of the citizens of Wilton.

I am appreciative of the splendid cooperation of teachers and pupils, and the genuine sympathetic assistance of Superintendent Ames and the School Board and feel confident that a continuance of this spirit will make Wilton High School the kind of school we all strive for and envision for the boys and girls of Wilton.

Respectfully submitted,

CALEB H. NILES,

Headmaster of Wilton High School.

Wilton, N. H., February 17, 1938.

STATISTICS FOR SCHOOL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1937

School	Boys	Girls	Total	Average Membership	Average Attendance	Attendance Percent	Total Tardinesses	Tardinesses Per Pupil
High	60	54	114	103.09	97.20	94.29	227	1.99
Grade 8	19	22	41	37.40	36.30	97.06	47	1.14
Grade 7	24	17	41	38.14	36.18	94.86	167	4.07
Grade 6	19	13	32	28.59	27.57	96.43	7	.23
Grade 5	16	12	28	26.26	25.27	96.23	9	.32
Grade 4	15	19	34	29.75	28.32	95.19	16	1.07
Grade 3	24	18	42	30.45	28.86	94.78	30	.71
Grade 2	16	16	32	26.92	24.75	91.94	17	.53
Grade 1	21	18	39	27.16	24.35	89.65	14	.36
	214	189	403	347.76	328.80	94.55	534	1.33
State Average 1936-1937 (all schools)						94.74		.91
High Schools						95.73		1.00

VISITS:

By School Board Members	17
By Superintendent	533
By Citizens	252

STATISTICS FOR FIRST NINETEEN WEEKS OF 1937-1938

Census: Boys 163; Girls 143; Total 306

School	Total Enrollment	Average Membership	Average Attendance	Per Cent of Attendance	Total Tardinesses
High	115	109.49	103.36	94.40	72
Grade 8	29	28.49	27.42	96.04	33
Grade 7	36	33.35	32.35	97.60	49
Grade 6	28	25.08	24.25	96.69	3
Grade 5	30	29.05	27.75	95.53	7
Grade 4	33	31.81	30.22	95.00	15
Grade 3	32	30.90	28.62	92.62	19
Grade 2	29	26.29	23.99	91.25	13
Grade 1	35	32.50	30.05	92.46	21
Combined	367	346.96	328.01	94.54	232

ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE

Three consecutive years: Hazel Cheever.

Two consecutive years: Rita Herlihy, Christine Stockwell, Marion Blanchette, Chester McGrath, Irene Fox, Arnold Tuttle, Bernard Smith, Ray D. Stockwell, Jr.

The School Year 1936-1937: John Varley, Priscilla McGrath, Rena Vanni, Shirley Lyford, Dorothea Cheever, Eileen Dunn, Joyce Walter, Madeline Doucette, Leo Cheever, Walter Hardy, David Poulin, Leonard Poulin, Arthur Varley, Norma Cheever, Margaret O'Larsen, Armand Therriault, Theodore Tripp, Lawrence Willette, Marie Doucette, Robert Pollock, Stella Muir, Harry Lyford, Leo Pellerin.

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATING CLASS OF 1937

Mildred F. Batchelder
 Hugh W. Braham
 Robert C. Brown
 Albert M. Carrigan
 William W. Cleaves
 Paul T. Doherty
 Harry K. Draper
 Kenneth R. Dunham
 Charles R. Edwards
 Winston L. Fairfield
 Lois A. Foote
 Alden E. Fox
 Evelyn Hardy
 Rita E. Herlihy
 Grace I. Holt

Martha Holt
 Nathalie Johnson
 Edna I. Jowders
 Kenneth E. McGrath
 Priscilla F. McGrath
 Robert F. McGrath
 Helen J. Miller
 Mary Proctor
 Minot Ring
 Marjorie Sheldon
 Richard D. Sullivan
 Harry R. Webb
 Samuel Whiting
 Gordon W. Wright

Marriages Registered in the Town of Wilton, N. H. for the Year Ending December 31, 1937

Date and Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of Each at Time of Marriage	Age	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Name, Official Station and Residence of Person by Whom Married
Jan. 2, Wilton	Paul J. Paro Viola A. Brunelle	Wilton	20 17	Joseph Mary Arthur Louise	Greenville New Ipswich Gorham	M. J. Moher Catholic Priest Wilton
Jan. 14, Amherst	Herbert H. Dunklee Mildred E. Frost	Wilton Amherst	19 15	Walter Elizabeth Clarence	Hollis Newton Milford	Zebina B. Kemp Justice of Peace Amherst
Jan. 23, Wilton	Harold J. Cousins Ernestine Y. Soucy	Milford Wilton	21 21	Martha Owen Helen Alphonse	Greenfield Milford Lawrence Canada	M. J. Moher Catholic Priest Wilton
Feb. 5, Wilton	Alexander H. Cameron Lear Picard	Wilton Wilton	20 19	Josephine Alexander Florence Adelaide	Nova Scotia Taunton Canada	M. J. Moher Catholic Priest Wilton
Feb. 6, Wilton	Allen J. Mallows Annette E. Soucy	Wilton Wilton	20 19	Louise Robert Annie Alphonse	Greenfield Providence Blackstone Canada	M. J. Moher Catholic Priest Wilton
Feb. 22, New Boston	Clayton D. Upton Lucille M. Tuttle	New Boston Wilton	29 22	Josephine John Mary James	Mont Vernon New Boston Wilton	John E. LeBosquet Clergyman New Boston
Mar. 6, Wilton	Calvin W. Locke Edna E. LaMarche	Wilton Wilton	23 19	Annie Benjamin Helen Elmore Eva	Milford Lancaster Chelmsford Lowell East Weare Lithuania	Roy D. Thompson Clergyman Wilton
Apr. 10, Wilton	Benny M. Markavered Florence M. Locke	Nashua Wilton	22 18	Matthew Josephine Benjamin Helen	Lancaster Chelmsford Weare Bradford New Boston	Roy D. Thompson Clergyman Wilton
Apr. 18, Goffstown	Carlton Flanders Elsie Cochrane	Hillsborough Wilton	42 36	Warren Eva George Annie		J. A. H. Plowright Clergyman Goffstown

May 24, Wilton	Philip H. Rodier	Greenville	22	Charles Angelina	Canada	M. J. Moher Catholic Priest Wilton
	Yvonne A. Martin	Wilton	18	Alfred Georgeanna	Lowell	
June 28, Wilton	Francis Wingate	Hallowell, Me.	28	Frank Annie	Canada Hallowell	Roy D. Thompson Clergyman Wilton
	Helen Abbot	Wilton	30	Stanley Mary	Wilton Lowell	
June 29, Wilton	Charles E. Charron	Wilton	36	Charles Orphano	Manchester	Roy D. Thompson Clergyman Wilton
	Mary Hennessey	Wilton	43	William Mary	Canada	
June 30, Wilton	Walter E. Borden	Concord, Mass.	42	Walter Martha	Goldsboro, N. C.	W. L. McKinstry Clergyman Wilton
	Muriel W. Merrick	Waban, Mass.	34	Frank Lucy	Fayetteville, N. C.	
July 6, Exeter	William H. Kean	Wilton	31	William Elizabeth	England Maine	Edw. N. Richards Justice of Peace Exeter
	Mamie E. Dunklee	Newmarket	16	Walter Elizabeth	Stirling Hollis	
July 17, Wilton	Leslie B. Jones	Goffstown	23	Elizabeth Clark	Newton Goffstown	J. A. H. Plowright Clergyman Goffstown
	Beverly J. Dunbar	Wilton	22	Mary Charles	Wilton	
July 30, Concord, Mass.	Walter Bausha	Nashua	28	Betsy William	New York	Edward P. Daniels Clergyman Concord, Mass.
	Aili J. Davidson	Wilton	28	Gertrude David		
July 31, Wilton	Thomas Job	New Haven, Conn.	36	Lizzie Edwin	Wales	W. L. McKinstry Clergyman Wilton
	Edith A. Robinson	New Haven, Conn.	29	Emma Charles	England Middleton	
Aug. 21, Wilton	George B. Furlong	Framingham, Mass.	24	Edith John	New Haven	W. L. McKinstry Clergyman Wilton
	Beatrice E. Finlay	Framingham, Mass.	23	Ruth John	Portland North Carolina	
Sept. 24, Wilton	Kenneth McGrath	Wilton	19	John Beatrice	Scotland New Brunswick	
	Nathalie Johnson	Wilton	17	Thomas Albino	Wilton Lowell	M. J. Moher Catholic Priest Wilton
Oct. 23, Wilton	Wilfred Martin	Wilton	27	Philip Louise	Quincy Wilton	
	Rita Plant	Wilton	18	Alfred Georgeanna	Lowell Canada	M. J. Moher Catholic Priest Wilton
				Paul Florilda		

Oct. 24, Wilton	Edmund G. Sweeney	Cambridge, Mass. 31	Michael Mary	Ireland	M. J. Moher
	Elinor D. Conrey	Cambridge, Mass. 27	Perley Bertha	Ireland	Catholic Priest
Oct. 24, Wilton	Joseph C. Schempfke	Cambridge, Mass. 30	Joseph Nellie	Woburn	Wilton
	Edith C. Lindquist	Cambridge, Mass. 27	Alfred	Missouri	M. J. Moher
Oct. 29, Milford	James A. Wing	Wilton 41	Frederick	Sweden	Catholic Priest
	Marjorie Turner	Milford 27	Nettie John	Providence	R. Russell Denison
Nov. 6, Wilton	Guy M. Holt	Lyndeborough 25	Maude Jason	Chester	Clergyman
	Alice J. Gregoire	Wilton 23	Rubie Charles	Roxbury, Mass.	Milford
Nov. 6, Milford	Richard J. Varnum	Milford 28	John Mary	Lowell	M. J. Moher
	Alice L. Kuriger	Wilton 24	Fred Annie	Lyndeborough	Catholic Priest
Nov. 13, Wilton	James R. Bell	Mason 20	James William	Wilton	Wilton
	Ione E. Anderson	Wilton 20	Lillian Rosanna	Lowell	E. B. Young
Nov. 13, Greenville	George L. Frost	Wilton 18	Walter Ruth	England	Clergyman
	Desneiges Lafreniere	Greenville 18	Maxime	Ashland	Milford
Nov. 17, Wilton	R. Everett Dicey	Needham, Mass. 19	Alphonse George	Clinton	
	Laurel F. Olson	Dedham, Mass. 20	Gwendolyn A. Robert	Lawrence	M. J. Moher
Nov. 21, Wilton	George Elliott	Nashua 21	Rose Guy	Greenville	Catholic Priest
	Pauline Watts	Wilton 19	Eva Herbert	Wilton	Andrew Doucet
Nov. 25, Wilton	Nelson J. Brown	Milford 23	Ida Arthur	Greenville	Catholic Priest
	Eva E. Vincent	Wilton 20	Mary Severe	New Boston	Roy D. Thompson
Dec. 4, Wilton	Edwin Mullens	Worcester, Mass. 22	Emma Edwin	New York	Clergyman
	Edna Burke	Worcester, Mass. 20	Frances Philip	Nashua	Roy D. Thompson
			Rosetta	Moors, N. Y.	Clergyman
				Wilton	Wilton
				Quebec	M. J. Moher
				Greenville	Catholic Priest
				England	Wilton
				Canada	Roy D. Thompson
					Clergyman
					Wilton

Births Registered in the Town of Wilton, N. H. for Year Ending December 31, 1937

Date and Place of Birth	Name of Child (if any)	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
Jan. 15, Peterboro	David Brice	Charles H. Frye	Nellie Peters	Wilton	Lyndeborough
Jan. 16, Nashua	Jacqueline Mary	Francis K. Breen	Virginia Largy	Peppercell, Mass.	Goffstown
Feb. 18, Nashua	Nancy	Raymond LaPonsie	Deborah Wilcox	Wilton	Wilmington, Mass.
Mar. 3, Nashua	Ernest Ai	Al J. Hutchinson	Margaret Gilmore	Wilton	Nashua
Mar. 3, Nashua	John Reino, Jr.	John Reino Maki	Clara McCormack	Milford	Weymouth, N. S.
Mar. 4, Wilton	Martha Doris Marie	Herve Guertin	Irene Giguere	Woonsocket, R. I.	St. Marcel, Quebec
Mar. 5, Nashua	Elizabeth Morgan	Willard McKinstry	Clarissa Morgan	Watertown, N. Y.	Warwick, Mass.
Mar. 22, Goffstown	Esther Augusta	Herbert H. Dunklee	Mildred Frost	Nashua	Billerica, Mass.
Mar. 24, Wilton	Norma Alice	Norman A. Brown	Mary Todd	Roxbury, Mass.	Proctorsville, Vt.
Mar. 25, Wilton	Rose Marie	Henry E. Bergeron	Annette Letourneau	Canada	Biddeford, Me.
Apr. 1, Goffstown	Henry Addison, Jr.	Henry Webb	Flora Fiske	New York	Manchester, N. Y.
Apr. 3, Wilton	Pamela	Leslie N. Center	Angelina Doucet	Peterboro	Milford
Apr. 4, Nashua	John Thomas, Jr.	John T. Conrad	Eveline Blanchard	Malden, Mass.	Lincoln
Apr. 6, Peterboro	Robert Armand	Armand Nadeau	Gertrude Paradise	Canada	Greenville
May 19, Nashua	Well'gton Polhemus	William P. Webb	Constance Wright	Whippany, N. J.	Wilton
May 23, Nashua	Joseph Calvetti	Joseph Devine	Amelia Calvetti	Wilton	Milford
June 7, Wilton	Bruce	Dewey Palmer	Myrtle Knight	Chateaugay	North Adams, Mass.
June 9, Nashua	Neal David	Archer D. Fox	Mabel E. Fuller	Dracut, Mass.	Amherst
June 16, Nashua	Sandra Helen	Forrest A. Hussey	Ruth Cutter	Greenfield	Peterboro
June 27, Wilton	Jeanette Emelia	Aram W. Leduc	Medora Lagasse	Mohegan, R. I.	Woonsocket, R. I.
July 13, Nashua	Corinne Ann	Arthur Soucy	Margaret Gagnon	Nashua	Nashua
July 15, Nashua	Claude Edward	Norman W. Draper	Miriam Ladue	Wilton	Goffstown
July 15, Wilton	Janice Eleanor	Victor A. Tripp	Amelia P. LaCasse	Bridgcton, Me.	Wilton
Sept. 1, Nashua	Carl Henry	William Keilig	Ann Pearson	Manchester	Winona, Mich.
Sept. 8, Nashua	Jane Elizabeth	James J. Seymour	Elizabeth McLean	Waterbury, Conn.	Nova Scotia
Sept. 24, Goffstown	Helen Elizabeth	Frederick E. Burns	Dora Leno	Machias, Me.	Sturbridge, Mass.
Oct. 16, Wilton	Daniel Walter	Leonard Mahoney	Veronica Dubriske	Wilton	Winchester
Dec. 1, Nashua	Joanne	Kenneth E McGrath	Nathalie Johnson	Wilton	Wilton
Dec. 5, Manchester	Irene Mabel	Elmor Jordan	Stella Crawford	Manchester	Canada
Dec. 12, Wilton	Kenneth David	Chas. O McGettigan	Dorothy Sheldon	Wilton	Wilton
Dec. 13, Goffstown	William Franklin	William H. Kean	Mamie Dunklee	Ayer, Mass.	Milford

Deaths Registered in the Town of Wilton, N. H. for the Year Ending December 31, 1937

Date and Place of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Age	Name of Father	Name of Mother	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
Jan. 1, Lunenburg	Lillian D. Adams	75				
Jan. 11, Boston	Charles E. Herlihy	61				
Jan. 12, Malden	Viola A. Russell	47				
Jan. 17, Central Falls, R. I.	Sophie Liberty Jurest	78				
Jan. 24, Nashua	Lelda M. Bishop	70	Jean B. Bishop	Adelaide M. Caron	Canada	Canada
Feb. 3, Nashua	Richard Gage	56	Arthur H. Gage	Annie Benedict	Wilton	Wilton
Feb. 11, Nashua	Leola Baldwin	63	John Holt	Emily Lane	Anchester	Wilton
Feb. 16, Wilton	Azairé LaPensee	77	Charles LaPensee	Marie Pettit	Canada	Canada
Feb. 17, Concord	Joseph E. LaMay	60	Oncelaine Lamay	Virginia Leclerc	St. Emelle, P. Q.	St. Emelle, P. Q.
Feb. 26, Concord	Harry Purdy	61	Albert Purdy	Virginia V. Potter	Nova Scotia	Nova Scotia
Mar. 12, Wilton	Daniel Riney	82	Timothy Riney	Margaret Benner	Ireland	Ireland
Mar. 12, Manchester	Donald McHugh	80	Donald McHugh	Lillian M. Brothers	Salmon Falls, N. H.	Northampton, Mass.
Mar. 13, Hopkinton	Edward E. Lowe	10	Fred H. Lowe	Anna H. Messenger	Greenfield	Stoddard
Mar. 18, Hudson, N. Y.	Elmer M. French	65				
Mar. 18, Goffstown	Bernard G. Welch	82	Bernard Welch	Sarah Pelletier	Cornwall, Eng.	Wiltford
Mar. 18, Wilton	Emma B. Collins	88	Thomas F. Brice	Sarah A. Howell	England	Wales
Mar. 24, Goffstown	Emma Blanchette	88	Liberty			
Apr. 7, Westboro, Mass.	Hannah Shea	87	James Shea	Hannah Brennan	Ireland	Ireland
Apr. 9, Wilton	Josephine	67	Joseph Fortiere	Jane La Betele	Canada	St. Albans, Vt.
Apr. 10, Wilton	Alice H. Holden	58	Charles G. Maynard	Mary	Walpole	Boston, Mass.
Apr. 28, Wilton	Effie E. Dunbar	62	Stephen H. Dunbar	Sarah Richardson	Peterborough	Lyndeborough
May 2, Wilton	John Wilson	76	Duncan Wilson	Barbara Ritchie	Scotland	Scotland
May 19, Goffstown	Joseph Furlong	56	Patrick Furlong	Margaret Bradley	Whitefield, Maine	Cambridge, Mass.
May 25, Wilton	Henry Balmforth	73	John Balmforth	Martha Hepworth	England	England
July 3, Middleboro, Mass.	Mary A. Shea	71	Patrick Shea	Betsy Courtney	Ireland	Ireland
July 30, Wilton	Catherine E. Stanton	81	Martin Kelley	Catherine Laughlin	Ireland	Ireland
Aug. 11, Wilton	Julia Connell	58	Nelson LaFlame	Amelia Record	Canada	Plattsburg, N. Y.
Aug. 28, Wilton	Mildred P. Whiting	75	George N. Peay	Lella Kents	Louisville, Ky.	Louisville, Ky.
Sept. 7, Wilton	George W. Tarbell	81	Luther A. Tarbell	Louisa Farnsworth	Wilton	Groton, Mass.
Sept. 13, Wilton	Nash Simons	94	Martin Simons	Ezra Carlton	Williamstown, Vt.	Barre, Vt.
Sept. 15, Lowell	Joan J. Russell	1				
Sept. 16, Wilton	Harry P. Ring	79	Phlander Ring	Helen J. Holt	Weld, Maine	Wilton
Oct. 1, Newark, N.J.	Lillie Graves	80				

Oct. 3, Wilton	Enma M. Mitchell	84	3	25	Julius Cutter			Jaffrey	Jaffrey
Oct. 8, Somerville	Bartholomew O. Shea	74	4	26					
Oct. 20, Milford	Rose D. Bergeron	65	6	9	Leon Decelles	Caroline Harijne	Canada		
Oct. 26, Goffstown	William Reynolds	49	4	11	William Reynolds	Mary Ann Dowden	Westfield, Mass.	New York City	
Oct. 31, Needham, Mass.									
Nov. 1, Lawrence	Cicely H. Cook	39	1	13					
Nov. 6, Wilton	Lancelot L. Robbins	41	8	17	Charles E. Robbins	Susie L. Beals	Franklin	Oxford, Eng.	
Nov. 29, Milford	John W. Pead	83	10	7	Samuel F. Pead	Matilda Redman	England	England	
Nov. 29, Wilton	Alfred J. Paro	69	9	8	Joseph Paro	Mary June Liberty	St. Hyacinthe, Can.	St. Albans, Vt.	
Nov. 30, Milford	Wm. H. Blanchard	81	9	16	Isaac Blanchard	Rhoda Osgood	Canada	Haverhill, Mass.	
Dec. 3, Milford	Josephine Gregoire	57	9	18	Joseph Gregoire	Carinela Moran	Canada	Canada	
Dec. 10, Nashua	Charles H. Moore	89	2	16	Leonard Moore	Betsey Fessenden	Sharon	Peterborough	
Dec. 17, Wilton	Priscilla E. Jordan	23	9	0	William H. Jordan	Brown	Quebec	Pennsylvania	
Dec. 28, Goffstown	Thomas Cooley	77	9	24	Lawrence Cooley	Ann Foley	Ireland	Canada	
	Arthur D. Blanchette	100	9	24	John Blanchette	Mary Allard	Canada	Canada	

SEXTON'S REPORT **For Year Ending December 31, 1937**

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age			Cemetery
			Years	Months	Days	
Jan. 1, Lunenburg		Lillian D. Adams	75	4	14	Laurel Hill
Jan. 11, Boston		Charles E. Herlihy	61			Mt. Calvary
Jan. 12, Malden		Viola A. Russell	47	6	22	Laurel Hill
Jan. 17, Central Falls, R. I.		Sophie Liberty Jarest	78	6	13	Mt. Calvary
Jan. 24, Nashua		Leida M. Bishop	70			Mt. Calvary
Feb. 3, Nashua		Richard Gage	56			Laurel Hill
Feb. 11, Nashua		Lena Baldwin	63	11	17	Laurel Hill
Feb. 16, Wilton		Azaire LaPensee	77	3	21	Mt. Calvary
Feb. 17, Concord		Joseph E. LaMay	60	4	27	Mt. Calvary
Feb. 26, Concord		Harry Purdy	61	11	17	South Yard
Mar. 12, Wilton		Daniel Riney	82	8	8	Mt. Calvary
Mar. 12, Manch'ter		Donald McHugh			1	Mt. Calvary
Mar. 13, Hopkinton		Edward E. Lowe	80	10	3	Laurel Hill
Mar. 18, Goffstown		Bernard G. Welch			3	Mt. Calvary
Mar. 18, Hudson, N. Y.		Elmer M. French	65	11	17	South Yard
Mar. 24, Goffstown		Emma Blanchette	88			Mt. Calvary
Apr. 7, Westboro, Mass.		Hannah Shea	87			Mt. Calvary
Apr. 9, Wilton		Josephine Deschamps	67	1	3	Mt. Calvary
Apr. 28, Wilton		Effie E. Dunbar	62		15	Laurel Hill
May 19, Goffstown		Joseph Furlong	56	4	24	Laurel Hill
May 25, Wilton		Henry Balmforth	73	11	24	Laurel Hill
July 3, Middleboro, Mass.		Mary A. Shea	71	1	16	Mt. Calvary
July 30, Wilton		Catherine E. Stanton	81	9	10	Mt. Calvary
Aug. 28, Wilton		Mildred P. Whiting	75	0	9	Laurel Hill
Sept. 13, Wilton		Nash Simons	94	7	5	Laurel Hill
Sept. 15, Lowell		Joan J. Russell	1	5	6	Laurel Hill
Sept. 16, Wilton		Harry P. Ring	79	9	29	South Yard
Oct. 1, Newark, N. J.		Lillie Graves	80	8		Laurel Hill
Oct. 8, Somerville		Bartholomew O. Shea	74	4	26	Mt. Calvary
Oct. 20, Milford		Rose D. Bergeron	65	6	9	Mt. Calvary
Oct. 31, Needham, Mass.		Cicely H. Cook	39	1	13	Laurel Hill
Nov. 1, Lawrence, Mass.		Lancelot L. Robbins	41	8	17	Laurel Hill
Nov. 29, Milford		Alfred Joseph Paro	69			Mt. Calvary
Nov. 29, Wilton		Wm. H. Blanchard	81	9	16	South Yard
Nov. 30, Milford		Josephine Gregoire	57			Mt. Calvary
Dec. 3, Milford		Charles H. Moore	89	9	18	Vale End
Dec. 10, Nashua		Priscilla E. Jordan	23	2	16	Laurel Hill
Dec. 17, Wilton		Thomas Cooley	77	9	0	Mt. Calvary
Dec. 28, Goffstown		Arthur D. Blanchette	100	9	24	Mt. Calvary

